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The Setting

NEARLY a dozen times in its history, the American Board has held its annual meeting in Ohio, beginning with a session in Cincinnati in 1853. But never before has it gathered in Marietta, a city older than the Board itself by twenty and more years. Marietta has not only a beautiful location, on the Ohio River where the Muskingum joins it, and looking across to the West Virginia hills, but it has a background interesting to all Congregationalists. Gen. Rufus Putnam and a band of New Englanders founded the place in 1788, and in the same year the Northwest Territory was formally organized there. One of the first things General Putnam and his associates did was to set off land for a public park; and opposite the park was built the "Two Horned Church," which till 1905, when it burned, was the oldest church building in the state. It was rebuilt, an exact replica of the old building; and in this "two horned" structure, the home since its founding, in 1796, of First Church, Marietta, this 111th annual meeting of the American Board was held.

Mr. W. W. Mills, chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, was indefatigable in showing hospitality to the large number of delegates, and aided in every way possible the smooth running of the meetings. The Exhibit, containing curios from Africa, pictures from China, industrial and missionary exhibits from Spain and from the Philippines, and the Board's "Crown Jewels" (famous Bible translations and books produced by missionaries in the past hundred years, etc.), was shown in the National Guard Armory and drew crowds of people, adults and children as well.

The Opening Sessions

THE welcome to the city, to First Church, and to Marietta College, that institution which started as Muskingum Academy way back in 1797, was extended by Pres. Edward S. Parsons, of the college; while the response by Pres. Edward C. Moore, of the Board, had a special significance, as he was graduated from Marietta College in 1877. The official reports of Home Department and Treasury were not read in full, since they were in type ready

FIRST CHURCH, MARIETTA, OHIO

In whose auditorium the Board's annual meeting was held. With its pillared porch and double towers, it reproduces the old church built when the Northwest Territory was young

for distribution, but special points in each were noted and emphasized; and the topic which next to the Presidential election is all absorbing —Financing Congregational Missionary Work—was discussed by Dr. Herman F. Swartz, executive secretary of the Congregational World Movement, in a practical and kindling address.

One of the most moving sessions was that of the evening of October 12, when Rev. Francis J. Van Horn, of Oakland, Cal., preached the annual sermon—an original, brilliant, and gripping application of the story of the prophet who faced the frightened King Ahab (I Kings 20: 13, 14) with promise of deliverance. This evening closed with the communion service, always deeply impressive, as missionaries from far corners of the earth, officers and leaders of the Board at home, and members of the churches who stand behind the work all meet in intimate fellowship.

All Over the Field

WITH less than ten minutes apiece to speak, five missionaries from India —Messrs. Cooper, Elwood, Gates, Saunders, and Rose— contrived to give clear-cut statements of India's new missionary problems, showing by inference how closely the missionaries' work fits in with that of the Indian government along educational and social lines. An hour full of thrills was that in which seven fire-tested men from the Near East—Messrs. Clarke, of Salonica; Reed, of Smyrna; Wingate, of Talas; Haas, of Adana; Merrill, of Aintab; Partridge, of Sivas; and Getchell, of Marsovan—made memorable portrayal of situations they had faced, and later answered questions put to them by their hearers.

The call for advance in the Philippines was brought by Rev. F. C. Laubach, of Cagayan, and Dr. F. O. Smith, who served at the hospital in Davao while debarred from his station in Turkey. Mr. Laubach believes we should take a "spiritual mandatary" for Mindanao, and that the successful approach to the Mohammedan problem today is to be made through the Moros of Mindanao. The Protestant Faith in Spain was spoken of by our one man missionary there, Rev. W. C. Bowers, who calls it a land of a million Nicodemuses, so many are the secret inquirers. Rev. Jerome C. Holmes, of Tokyo, came to bring a ringing appeal for Japan in her critical hour, not excusing her, but defending her needs. Mr. Harold B. Belcher, just home from Foochow, showed a novel side of missionary life as he told of the business end of a mission; and Rev. H. A. Stick, of Amanzimtoti, South Africa, spoke to the question, "Are Our African Converts Making Good" in winning their countrymen to Christianity?

China had her innings on the last day of the meeting, when six missionaries, namely, Messrs. Corbin, of Shansi; Donaldson, H. G. Hubbard, and Beard, of Foochow; Stanley, of Tientsin; and Storrs, of Shaowu, gave tidings of hope and progress from their fields, perhaps their most encouraging and remarkable stories relating to the student movement in national affairs, to countryside evangelism and the rapidly developing Chinese church.

Special Features

DR. BARTON does not need to resort to pictures to make his survey of the American Board's world work graphic and real to his hearers; his words are warranted to do that. This year, however, he emphasized his story by accompanying its delivery with a group of stereopticon pictures, made from recent photographs and showing the missionary actors in the stirring scenes of the past year, as well as the setting of the events described. After Dr. Barton had spoken, to a crowded house by the way, two young men, sons of the Board's missions in Africa and India, who are now studying in America, were introduced by Secretary Eddy, and spoke of their lands' needs

and of their own ambitions to help in meeting them.

The education of women in the Far East was appropriately considered, in this year of woman's enfranchisement, by three women speakers: Miss Helen Calder, secretary of the Woman's Board, gave her conclusions from her recent tour of the mission fields, dwelling particularly on India; Miss Charlotte De Forest, of Kobe College, told of the development of Japanese women; and Mrs. Alice Browne Frame described the place of the woman's college in the great, new university in Peking.

The address by Secretary Strong on the contribution of Foreign Missions to Internationalism elicited from the audience an expression of hearty agreement. The speech following, from Robert A. Woods, of Boston, eminent in his field of Social Christianity, who has just toured the East in the interests of the Sage Foundation, gave the appreciation of an expert observer of the social bearings of missions, and offered suggestions and fresh testimony from a new angle.

The Re-enforcements

FORTY-THREE missionaries, in attendance upon the meeting, were assembled on the platform on Thursday evening when the recruiting service began. Their experiences ranged all the way from drudgery to diplomacy, from teaching the utterly ignorant to developing the self-governing church. They looked resourceful and competent, and bore the distinction which comes from devotion to a cause and reliance not upon man. Seven recently accepted recruits spoke that evening in simple but effective words, four of them under appointment to Africa; and two of these received their commissions at the hands of President Moore. These were Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Taylor; Dr. Taylor going out to be associated with Dr. James B. McCord, of Durban, in his first medical school for the training of African young men. Rev. H. A. Stick, of Amanzimtoti, extended the welcome in behalf of his colleagues and to their work. This service closed with an impassioned address by Rev. D. A. Poling, associate president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, pressing the appeal of missionary service. It was a memorable evening.

The Home Work

AT this annual meeting of 1920, the cultivation of the home field was more stressed than usual. Sec. Edward Lincoln Smith was warmly welcomed when he opened the subject in his speech on the New Home Base. Then the pastor's part in missionary promotion was emphasized in suggestive talks by Messrs. H. E. Brown, of Illinois; O. E. Maurer and W. H. Day, of Connecticut; and Franklin H. Warner, of New York. Their themes —In Pulpit and Prayer Meeting, The School of Missions, The Foreign Pastor, and The New Apportionment —drew out the testimony of experience in vivid and practical talks; which Dr. H. W. Gates, of Boston, followed by helpful and convincing recommendations of a definite program of missionary education. This strong and unusual session held the attention of many earnest pastors and church leaders, eager to discover the best methods of cultivating the spirit of missions.

An event of interest to the home base, also, was the introduction to the audience, by Dr. A. N. Hitchcock, of Chicago, for thirty-one years secretary for the District of the Interior, of his recently appointed successor, Rev. William F. English, Jr.

At the annual business meeting all officers were reëlected, save that Mr. Harold B. Belcher, recently of the Foochow Mission, became assistant treasurer in place of Mrs. Hester Babson Huggins, who, since her recent marriage, has loyally continued to serve till her successor could be se-

cured. Rev. Arthur Bradford, of Providence, R. I., was elected to the Prudential Committee, succeeding Rev. W. L. Sperry, of Boston, whose term expired; and Mr. Henry P. Kendall, of Norwood, Mass., follows Mr. Samuel Woolverton, of New York, on the Board of Auditors.

Marietta College Swings into Line

THE most dramatic moment of this annual meeting came in the closing session, when it was announced that the students and faculty of Marietta College had that very morning pledged the sum of $800 to provide the support of a graduate of Marietta as he shall be found to join the teaching staff of St. Paul's Institute in Tarsus.

It was said that with 230 present at the meeting when the pledges were made, there were 231 subscriptions—more than 100 per cent of response, if the figures are accurate. Inasmuch as the effort was to raise only $400, that being thought to be the highest figure practicable, the securing of $800 is evidence of the deep and generous interest Marietta takes in her foreign missionary adventure. Incidentally it may afford a sort of measure of the impression made by the annual meeting.

Summing Up

ON the closing Friday morning, after the tender service of intercession led by Secretary Bell, Dr. Moore in the annual president's address gathered up the spirit of the meeting in a powerful argument for the world's need of the Christian religion. On the whole, the meeting impressed itself on some seasoned attendants as unsurpassed in a long series of American Board meetings. It was not large; not more than 250 visitors from outside the city were registered. But the speaking was on a uniformly high level, with the challenge to Christianity in these reactionary times very keenly felt. The weather was glorious, the city and surroundings beautiful, and the hospitality of Marietta warm and generous. A notable example of the latter was the delightful reception on Thursday afternoon, when all visitors were entertained at the home of President and Mrs. Parsons, of Marietta College.

Rev. W. L. Goldsmith, pastor of the church in which the meetings were held, spoke the closing words of farewell. President Moore made fitting response, and the one hundred and eleventh annual meeting was adjourned.

See the Appendix

IN reading this issue of the *Missionary Herald*, let no one cut out the appendix. If you were not able to be present at Marietta, there you will find the Treasurer's report and significant extracts from the Home Department report. These papers will be printed in full in the Board's Annual Report, which will appear later, but our readers have offered to them now two important statements bearing on the work of the past year at the Board's Home Base, and setting forth the situation from which we have now to move on. They will answer many questions which may be already in your minds.

Wide-awake Ministers Stress Missions

THE exceptional attention paid at Marietta to the matter of missionary education in the churches, and the share taken in the discussion by several leading Congregational ministers, emphasizes the fact that the modern minister not only believes in foreign missions, but recognizes that they have place at the center of church life; and that he is devoting some of his best thought and planning to the problem of how to make his people intelligent and interested in this branch of the church work.

The day has gone by when foreign missions can be disregarded by a broad-minded and efficient minister;

patronized with a very occasional missionary sermon or routine collection, and left out of the reckoning at all other times. It will not do for him to lament that his people do not care about foreign missions, and let it go at that. Foreign missions are too great a force in the world's life, too much in the eye of men of world affairs, and too vital a necessity to the saving of the church from narrowness and even dry rot, to allow any wide-awake leader of his people to suffer them to be overlooked.

By courses of missionary reading or study, missionary institutes, a modern and versatile scheme of missionary meeting (the missionary concert revised and improved), a series of stereopticon addresses at connected dates through the winter, the use of missionary story and biography in sermon illustration—by these and other ways, as manifold as the ingenuity of the minister's mind, the alert pastor of today is seeking to instill missionary knowledge and interest among his people.

It is not an easy task; the lands and the work to be described are remote and foreign; the pressure of life close at hand is insistent and is likely to prevail. It requires zeal, tact, and patience, together with a good degree of wisdom and common sense, to keep foreign missions to the front in church life. But it can be done; it is being done by not a few of our ablest and most efficient ministers; and their churches are showing the benefit, to their own welfare as well as to that of the Kingdom throughout the world. We commend their example to others, especially to the younger brethren.

What Daunts the Missionary

THE missionaries of the American Board are not dismayed by what they face; paganism is not insurmountable by the gospel. Before the added dangers and difficulties of war times, they are unyielding and unafraid. The record of these recent years proves once more the heroism, physical and moral, of our missionary staff. Amid exciting scenes of battle and siege, they have stood firm; and in lands which lacked the stimulus of actual conflict, but felt the interruptions and the burdens of a world absorbed in war, they have held bravely to their task. The missionaries are not daunted by the foes they face; what takes the heart out of them is a disquieting fear as to their backing.

Theirs is like the soldier's case. A true soldier does not fear to meet his foe; he does not cringe before the danger ahead, or lie down because of the difficulties and hardships of his task. But what will spoil his morale and weaken his efficiency is the haunting suspicion that reënforcements are not forthcoming or that the supply train has broken down. The fear that behind him his support is failing is the soldier's deadliest enemy; it distracts his attention, disturbs his heart, and unnerves his arm.

Correspondence from the mission field and conversations with missionaries home on furlough furnish constant evidence that the heaviest anxieties they have at their task are not about the mission lands and peoples, but about this home land and its people: as to whether reënforcements are coming to maintain the line, to strengthen and carry through the undertaking; and as to whether the home people will realize how rapidly mount the needs of a growing and accomplishing missionary work; how dependent all programs and activities are upon funds and equipment to carry them out; how all strategy and heroism "over there" wait upon the measure of loyalty "over here."

A suspicion that there is a falling down in interest or provision at the home base is worse than chills and fever for reducing the missionary's vitality; it is pretty nearly a knock-out blow. When we pray for our missionaries that they may be enabled to

face their difficulties and to bear their load, let us remember whence come their sharpest difficulty and their heaviest load!

The Near East Robbed

ASSOCIATED PRESS dispatches, last month, reported thieving from the supplies of the Near East Relief at Constantinople. This news was a startling surprise, and records a crime worse than mere stealing, for it is nothing less than taking food out of the mouths of the starving and clothing from the backs of the perishing. Private dispatches from Constantinople indicate that the peculations have not been extensive nor long continued. Dr. William W. Peet, the chairman of the Local Committee, says: "The difficulty comes, in the main, through the people who have come to us from France. They seem to have been, on the whole, a seamy lot. Colonel Coombs, the director, is putting in pretty vigorous work, and no one will be spared who is really guilty."

Dr. Barton, chairman of the Relief Committee, explains that quite a number of American relief workers from France were brought in—men who had served in some capacity in the war and were ready for a new adventure. "These served mostly as drivers of transportation trucks, a work to which we could not set our limited supply of choice young men who came out from America, and who, moreover, were needed in places of larger responsibility. It was impossible to handle the thousands of tons of equipment and supplies without employing large numbers of native workmen. We knew at the outset that there would be attempts at thieving, and every precaution was taken to prevent it. A considerable number of British troops were detailed for guard duty, together with some Turkish soldiers; and barbed wire entanglements were drawn about the area occupied by the landing docks and the warehouses, with the entrance guarded night and day by British soldiers. The entire outfit was under the command of a United States naval officer.

"The whole matter is being investigated to the bottom. The American high commissioner, Admiral Bristol, and the United States consul general are lending their services as well as the service of their offices. I have every confidence that whatever losses have occurred will be made practically good. The local committee of control are Dr. William W. Peet, treasurer of the American Board for the Near East; Prof. George H. Huntington, principal of the preparatory department of Robert College; and Rev. Dr. F. W. MacCallum, a missionary of the American Board, who is also at present acting as treasurer of the Near East Relief."

CHAPTERS ON CHINA'S "LITTLE WAR"

As Given in Letters from Shantung and Chihli

Shantung's Share

(Dr. F. F. Tucker, American Board Hospital, Tehchow, July 12)

General Shang,* in charge of the troops here, says that he will not strike the first blow, and if Gen. Ma Liang's* men let his alone, there will be no fighting in this region. The breaks in the railway are nine miles south of here, a rail here and another there being torn up to delay Ma's men from coming north. General Shang has taken over the arsenal, and now has 11,000 troops at his disposal. No trains southbound, and those for the north are crowded. More soldiers constantly arriving. Grain supplies running very low and prices soaring. The coming of the soldiery makes matters much worse, as grain cannot come in by train. Soldiers are behaving well so far. It is all a grim game, but nevertheless the mission hospital is asked to be prepared to care for the seriously wounded, and arrangements are being made to do this.

July 13. Mr. MacEachron and myself went on a troop train to Hwang Ho Mai (Yellow River Bank, nine miles southeast, and where is a church outstation). There we changed to a solitary car, and a huge engine pulled us as far as the soldiers go by train. The soldiers (anti-Anfuites) continue to come, and are quartered in all the villages of the region.

There have been many applications for persons and goods to take refuge here. Mr. Campbell, of the Standard Oil Company, wired from Tsinan for his servants to deliver his valuables here, and they came (six cases) today. One note read this way, "Sorry to bother you with a piano and a few boxes for a few weeks till the war is over." But we are saving most of the "space" for patients—should there be any.

July 17. TEHCHOWITIS.—This is a new kind of disease, limited to the last few days, but not limited to this part of China. Near midnight, last night, came a note from the man in charge of the telegraphs here, reading, "Can you put about twenty or thirty of our boxes in your hospital?" Of course we replied we would be glad to give housing to the goods, but naturally we reserve the hospital for other purposes!

Last evening a man applied to keep his three mules in the hospital yard, as he knew the military would commandeer them if we did not take them in. We refused, as it's the privilege of the government (if there is any) to commandeer mules if it wishes. This morning a military official brings his family here, and, under the circumstances, the women and children are allowed to stay.

July 20. In the past twenty-four hours we have been under the flag of the "Imperial Republic" of China, it is true, but we have also found it well to have the Stars and Stripes quite prominent. Early Sunday morning,

*Ma Liang, Military Commissioner of Tsinanfu, capital of Shantung, has been a supporter of the Anfu Club (Peking) for some time. He has been allowed much freedom of action by a more or less indolent "tu-chun" (governor) until he trained ten thousand (10,000) troops to be the only real soldiers there. Hence when the troubles broke out between the conflicting parties at Peking he readily responded to Tuan Chi-jui's (of the Anfu Club party, and pro-Japanese) orders to move on to Tehchow, where is a government arsenal and thus threaten Chang Tsao-lin's forces which were massing in the region of Tientsin.

Soon after the Boxer troubles of 1900, the arsenal was removed from Tientsin and rebuilt at Tehchow, to get it as far away as possible from the hated "foreigner." For years this arsenal has been guarded by a cordon of soldiers, and no one without a pass allowed within its vicinity; neither have Japanese been allowed to reside in Tehchow on account of it. At the time of the outbreak this summer, the arsenal and the railroad (Tientsin-Pukow to Shanghai, and passing through Tehchow and Tsinanfu) were controlled by anti-Anfuite forces, General Shang Teh Chien in charge. It was supposed, therefore, that General Ma's advance on Tehchow was to get control of the war material stored there. Little did any one suppose that for some time it has only been an empty shell, making soldiers' clothing, since there was no money with which to buy materials for munitions.

July 18, the firing to the south was clearly heard. At the close of the Sunday morning service, Mr. Kuan, the preacher, suggested the possibility of forming a refuge society for women and children. A meeting was called for Sunday afternoon, and all were greatly surprised to find the church crowded with the leading men, scholars, merchants, etc. Mr. Kuan was made chairman. Everything was put in the hands of a committee of twenty-two, and it is this committee that has handled matters since.

Monday, rumor reached us that General Shang and his men were leaving the city. I heard, by accident, that he was at the railway station. I learned direct from him of the defeat of the day before, but conversation with a number of officers on both sides indicates that there was really no battle at all. General Shang was downcast, but the kindly gentleman he always is. He had been down the line the night before, but had come back convinced that the opposing forces were not only more numerous, but better equipped. Some of his men complained they did not want to retire, but all, including Shang himself, had orders from above, their main objective now being to keep Ma Liang from moving northward too fast. There was little excitement—that being left for the civilian population. Folks in the city, with their valuables (if any) bundled up, were escaping to the country, and the country folks were coming to the city.

Mr. MacEachron, from the very beginning of things, had been a whole host in himself, in organizing and directing the forces within the compound—especially in the matter of assigning quarters for those admitted, and in taking care of valuable boxes, etc., sent here for safe keeping. I asked Mr. Yun, our Christian ex-Mohammedan banker, in regard to his funds, and found the silver had been buried and the bills had been sent out here. One box of valuables reposes in the fireplace of the hospital office; the seal of the telegraph office is here, as are all the instruments, etc.

Now Tehchow has no trains, no mails, and no telegraphs. Carts have all been taken by one military side or the other, as well as barrows, and even coolies have been impressed. We can but be thankful that so good and prompt a job was done in putting up the dike and outfacing wall about the mission compound, and that the Boys' Academy buildings are now available, as the term has ended. There are about three hundred in the compound now, and over half of those are refugee women and children. Should there be an aftermath of some military reverse, there will be more admissions, and when the buildings are full, there are arrangements for mat sheds to be put up.

In all the arrangements, etc., Miss Peng and Dr. Marian Yang [both Chinese] have been the finest co-operating force we have had in the compound. Dr. Yang is at this moment making her daily sanitary inspection of the refugees in the dormitories of the two schools, for, so far, most of the people are housed there. Miss Peng is chairman of the evangelistic committee to make use of the present opportunity.

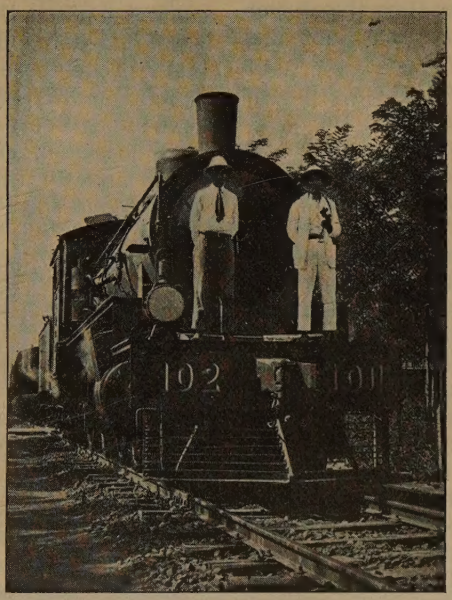
Till the Refuge Society advised we take refugees, we kept all out we possibly could, among them some women from the yamen and others. They did not like it any too well; and, most of them being thin with fright, a lot of them crawled under the closed and locked academy gate. Servants and others (emphasis on the "others") in the buildings to the south hoisted their belongings over the wall as soon as they heard firing, for "do not we belong to the church?" How they, themselves, got in, it's too late to ask, for is not all fair in love and war?

Near midnight, last night, a message came suggesting that I come to the South Suburb and join with others in going outside to meet General Ma Liang—sort of a committee of welcome. Having helped to escort one

general out of town, and not really knowing when the next was coming, I concluded a sleep was more important.

At three, this morning, a message came (after some firing had been heard) to the effect that a company of cavalry had come to the city and were quartering themselves here, but everything was peaceful. At eight, I had to go to the city to meet the committee. Soon after reaching there, it was reported that soldiers were coming. We hastened to the front steps of the church, and found a most soldierly officer just dismounting. He shook hands and was most cordial in every way, expressing gratification on his own behalf and that of his men that he should be so cordially welcomed, etc. Properly enough, some one asked his honorable name. He replied modestly, "I'm General Ma!" Sure enough, no one had recognized Ma Liang, himself! The information was quite tonic, and at just that time the large general committee of welcome came from the city. General Ma (who has had pleasant relations with the Christian workers in Tsinan) mounted the stone steps of the church and gave a twenty-minute talk along patriotic lines. As he finished speaking, other troops came up, and he rode off at the head of the column on his fine foreign horse, every muscle alert and every inch a soldier. There were perhaps five thousand men, or more, all in good order and finely equipped. There was plenty of transport, with light guns and small cannon. They are not out on a picnic, and we now better understand General Shang's wisdom in withdrawing.

Both generals have the thought that there may be another stand at Sang Yuan, fifteen miles north. Meantime the American flag, under which Ma Liang spoke this morning, still waves, as also the Chinese flag of the Republic; and that of General Ma, himself, is likely to remain for some time. That of General Shang we see no more. Three are enough. The Red Cross flag is a part of all of them.



A TROOP TRAIN

On which soldiers and foreigners were carried to the break in the railway several miles southeast of Tehchow, Shantung, hoping to delay the northward march of Ma Liang's army. In the political-military uprising of North China, July, 1920

A day or two thereafter, Ma Liang was defeated by Shang, reënforced by Chang Tsao-lin's troops from the north. So, writing under date of *July 25*, Dr. Tucker says:—

I have just been using the transit-instrument as a telescope, and could see thousands of Ma Liang's troops marching southeast. The southward movement has been going on now for two days, and Ma, himself, went to Tsinan yesterday by train. However, there are not cars and engines enough for all the more than ten thousand troops, horses, etc., so many must go overland. At this time the maneuvers might be entitled, "Three advances, two of which backward;" for, first, General Shang retreated north, then Ma advanced in the same direction; and now the latter, having halted at the border of Shan-

tung, takes himself and his troops back home again. It seems a retreat in no sense. The troops marched outside the city, rather than through it, which many think was due to the favorable treatment the city gave Ma and his troops when he entered, including a considerable money gift. Sang Yuan suffered badly at the hands of both armies. Wang Hsi Tseng, our helper there, lost his things, for the simple reason that he had deposited them at a place other than the church premises. The latter were not disturbed.

July 29. Nearing the end (of the Tehchow War Scare). On the 27th, I was one of a large committee to meet Shang as he came back to Tehchow, and with him was efficient Ts'ao, a brother of Ts'ao K'un, a soldier with exact command over his men. They took pains to assure me that our Refugee Society was appreciated, and would be protected in every way.

Last evening came the first train into Tehchow for some days—from Tientsin. Four missionaries were aboard, and were my guests last night. They wished to get to Tsinan as soon as possible, and thanks to the courtesy of General Shang, they were put aboard troop trains carrying discharged soldiers. These former soldiers are being sent home, discharged, with a bonus of ten dollars each, and they are a happy lot.

August 4. Aftermath. The military situation is quiet. Soldiers are numerous in all directions, but quite orderly. A conference now going on in Peking will perhaps settle matters, and again the dove of peace will poise in the air —with sufficient gasoline for at least a few days!

Events in Chihli

Chihli is that province in China in which is located Peking, Tunghsien, Tientsin, etc. Tunghsien, fifteen miles east of Peking, is connected with the capital by a railroad, and also by a good road made by the flood refugees, under missionary direction, two years ago. At Tunghsien, Rev. W. B. Stelle is in charge of evangelistic and outstation work. He had his experiences during the "Little War," and we quote from one of his letters:—

"I have just had four weeks of soldiering and Red Cross organizing in Tunghsien. The battles were along the line of our seven churches on the Peking-Hankow Railway, west and south of Peking. The capital was the contested citadel, and daily vibrated with increasing dangers. If the soldiers broke loose and looted Peking, Tunghsien, fifteen miles east, was the next handy booty. For a month there were no passenger trains out to Tunghsien, and for the most of that time the gates in the Peking city wall were closed tight."

"Revived Village" is the western hemisphere of the Tunghsien Christian community, while the eastern hemisphere contains the home of the missionaries and the North China American school. "Revived Village" was made up largely of Christians from various sections, who had secured indemnities after the Boxer trouble, had purchased land, and established themselves in this part of Tunghsien. They did not all harmonize all the time with their neighbors in the other half of the town. However, when both lobes of the community were threatened with looting soldiers, it became necessary to unite in a protective organization. Mr. Stelle says:—

"The size of our guard was limited to the number of guns available. There were forty-two in all, but about ten of the firearms were very primitive. We were captained by a most competent young Chinese teacher. We divided into two squads, each patroling half the night, and the division not on duty holding itself ready to respond to a general call. With full duties by day, it made strenuous work for dog days. Many villages were plundered, but the officers in charge of the under-paid, poorly fed, un-

trained, and disappointed troops deserve much credit. There were no barracks. Roll call was frequent, to detect deserters. Tension was high, and it was only the Chinese temperament which held back from an explosion.

"With our small guard, the compound seemed a stronghold to the Christians and acquaintances living in neighboring villages. All Christians were privileged to bring their families and possessions to us. With a nucleus from the school church and the branch church in the city, a Red Cross Society was formed. Three refuges for frightened women and children, one in the academy, one in the government school, and one in the Mohammedan mosque. Clinics were organized, one under Chinese methods and one under Western. Thirteen Chinese doctors volunteered, though we could not approve of some of their methods. Yet the desire to help one's fellows to the best of one's ability must be approved by all. Those bent on service were all the more eager when it was clear that they were not striving for personal gain. One Mohammedan, in explaining to others that they could not guarantee absolute safety for the women and children in the refuge, quietly stated that he proposed to stand at the door and explain to any mob that gathered that within were no possessions, only helpless women and children; but whoever entered must go over his dead body.

"If all our effort only secured acquaintance with some of the princely men whom we worked with, day after day, it was highly worth while. The little churches were not lights hid under a bushel, and the kindred spirits who delighted in their lights because their deeds were good are enduring assets for the Kingdom of God."

Tunghsien Looted

Poor Tunghsien! Demolished in 1900; looted and burned in 1912; on August 26, 1920, a telegram announced to friends outside the danger districts: "Compound safe. American Marines guarding. Hospital full. The soldiers in the city looted. Forty of best stores on the main street burned. Loss over a million and a half."

A letter from Miss Alice M. Huggins, teacher in the girls' school in Tunghsien, describes the night of terror, when the "discharged" sol-

AT THE BATTLEFIELD OF HWANG HO YAI

Near Tehchow, Shantung, July, 1920, in the recent "Little War" in China

diers got away from control, and with ruffians who had never been under control destroyed the business and residence parts of the city.

Wakened by the constant firing, Miss Huggins became convinced that there was trouble. She tried to telephone Peking, but the Tunghsien "Central" was in the city where the fighting was going on, so she got no connection. Telegraph conditions were the same. Meantime frightened folks came rushing to the mission premises, sleepy children, bound-footed women climbing over the iron fence, in spite of the spikes on the top of the rails.

At two o'clock, they managed to start a messenger for the next town on the road to Peking, with instructions that if he couldn't raise the city by wire, he was to go himself and find Dr. Wilder and ask for help. The looters, fortunately, preferred to stay in the city, where were the stores, post office, banks, etc., instead of coming out to the missionary quarter, where they were not sure what they would find. Also some of them remembered what happened after the Boxer affair.

Toward daybreak, the missionaries began to hear autos, and presently a big auto truck brought American Marines from Peking. The lieutenant in charge said the city "looked like a bit of France." The whole shopping district had been literally torn to pieces and then set fire to—grain shops, paper shops, pawnshops, banks, cloth shops, silk shops, with thousands of dollars' worth of silk, and even the post office.

"Our city church was untouched, not even the court entered. Afterwards we heard that the Salvation Army worker and her Chinese assistant, both young women who live right down in the city, were much frightened. Soldiers would come, beat on the gate, then see the sign that it was a church, and say there'd be nothing there and go on. We thought we had a hectic night, but those girls were really in danger.

"The Marines stayed for a few days. The Chinese officers of the troops which were under control began sending away the discharged and irregular forces. Three hundred on whom loot was found were reported to have been shot, and the Peking authorities seemed determined to do everything in their power to restore order."

THE MARDIN TRANSFER

ONE of the most important news statements in the Foreign Department's Survey at the Annual Meeting, last month, had reference to the transfer of the Board's station at Mardin to the Presbyterians. Established in 1861, it is located in Northern Mesopotamia, and was the only station of the Board where the Arabic tongue was used. In addition to its evangelistic work, it contained, in pre-war times, a high school for boys and another for girls; and a hospital and dispensary, which served a wide field in Mesopotamia and among Syrian peoples.

The Presbyterian Board, with headquarters in Beirut, is opening another station for Arabic-speaking people in Aleppo. The Bagdad Railway connects Mardin directly with the Arabic-speaking fields to the south, while it has no natural connection with the Board's stations to the north and west. So, upon recommendation of the Eastern Turkey Mission, the Mardin station has been transferred to the Presbyterian Board in the interests of more effective and economic administration.

Writing of the Mardin station, Miss Diantha Dewey, one of the Woman's Board staff at Mardin since 1905, says:—

"If you want to know what has been done by the mission at Mardin, it is

not sufficient to look at the city itself, though our pastor and teachers are fine products of our schools, full of consecration to God's work in their own land. They have stood by in the face of great privations and dangers, not thinking of themselves, but of their duty to their fellow men. And they are still there, though they hear alluring accounts of the life in other lands and of the salaries they might earn there.

"But this is not all the fruit of the Mardin station. Go to the mission of the Reformed Church in Arabia, and see its workers and ask where they are from; and so in Bagdad and in Mosul; in Aleppo, Alexandretta, Antioch, and other places in Syria; in Egypt, in Armenia, and see the work they are doing. Who have been interpreters for the Near East Relief? Who have been interpreters for the British army? The English educational officer in Mesopotamia is begging us for more teachers and offering wonderful salaries, and yet our teachers stay by us, not thinking of glory or riches, but loving the land of their birth.

"Let us pray that the civilized nations may help these Christian people to secure the right to live and be free to worship God in their own way, and perchance to save what money they earn, and to be able to own a little home in which they may eat the fruit of their own vine and fig tree."

THE HODJA LADY

By JOHN KINGSLEY BIRGE, of Smyrna

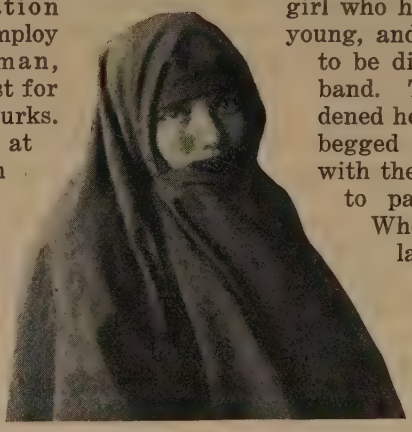
THE most interesting and most promising work that we in Smyrna have started recently is through a girl, Marie Yeghiayan, a graduate of last June from the normal class of the American Collegiate Institute for Girls.

In the spring, when I talked with her, she was filled with the most extreme kind of bitterness against the Turks. She said she wouldn't believe there was such a thing as a good Turk; that she wouldn't believe it, if she saw with her own eyes a Turk helping an Armenian! But at the spring Student Conference she experienced as clear a case of spiritual conversion as I ever saw. On the last

A SMYRNA STREET SCENE

night of the conference, while we were waiting at the station for the train, she walked up and down the platform, just bubbling over with joy, and told me that she was going to give her life in missionary work among the Turks. She had been writing letters to her five brothers and filling them with bitterness. Since the conference, she has been writing along a different line, and already one of her brothers has gone into a school where he is teaching Moslems, in order to help them.

The girl has an aunt in Adana who is a Bible-woman, and who is all the time working for the Turks. When vacation came, we decided to employ Marie as Bible-woman, with responsibility just for work among the Turks. She has been living at the Turkish school in Salahane, *i.e.*, at our American school for Turks there, and has been busy every day doing personal work for the Turkish people.



MAY THE HODJA LADY MEET HER!

She seems to know how to handle them wonderfully. On the trolley, for example, she got into a conversation with a *hodja* (teacher), who was surprised to see her reading a Turkish paper. She talked with him and told him a little about the ideals of the American schools here, and the *hodja* agreed with nearly everything. He said that he and many of the Turkish *hodjas* knew what the truth was, but that the time was not ripe yet for their preaching it.

One day, Marie saw a little girl sitting alone in a garden. She talked with the child and told her about the world, for the little lass did not know there was anything to it except just Smyrna. The girl invited her to her home, and Marie went there not knowing how the mother would take her visit. The mother, however, was most appreciative, and when the word was spread around that the *hodja* lady was in the house, a number of the neighbors gathered to join in the conversation.

Marie talked to them and told them how for Christians there is no difference in race or nationality, but that we are all really brothers; that God made us all and loved us so much that he sent his own Son into the world in order to draw the world to himself. The women were greatly impressed and wanted her to come and talk again.

Marie was invited to several Turkish weddings. At one she met a girl who had been married very young, and who was now going to be divorced from her husband. The poor girl unburdened her heart to Marie, and begged her to go and talk with the husband in an effort to patch up the trouble. When I talked with Marie last she said she had been to see the girl at her home, but had not yet been able to see the husband.

Somehow or other, through such contacts as these, Marie met one of the Turkish government officials and had a long talk with him. He said he thought that there was nothing but selfishness in the world; everybody out for himself. Marie told him about the American missionary work and what the Americans were anxious to do for the Turkish people. The man said he had never heard of such things, and he is anxious to talk with us. He has about six little girls, several of whom are meeting with Marie in a little school three times a week. Part of the school time is taken with a study of English, but part also in a study of how to live in a home, how to help their mothers, how to keep things clean and wholesome, and how to show real love for people who need help.

HOME DEPARTMENT

THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR SEPTEMBER

RECEIPTS AVAILABLE FOR REGULAR APPROPRIATIONS

	From Churches	From Individuals	From S. S. and Y. P. S. C. E.	From Twentieth Century Fund and Legacies	From Matured Conditional Gifts	Income from General Permanent Fund	Totals
1919	$15,425.00	$6,865.72	$204.74	$134,715.66		$2,505.50	$159,716.62
1920	14,684.80	6,159.64	205.12	117,120.77		3,311.00	141,481.33
Gain			$0.38			$805.50	
Loss	$740.20	$706.08		$17,594.89			$18,235.29

THE SEPTEMBER RECEIPTS

THE statement for September shows that the year does not start as well as it did twelve months ago. Fortunately we never estimate the trend of giving by the showing of a single month. There are unmistakable signs of a rising tide of interest in the Board's work and we look for a period of large gains. Last year, it may be recalled, the churches made a gain of $106,000. Unfortunately this was offset by a loss of $115,000 in legacies and kindred sources of income. This year the churches should not only maintain the gain of 1920, but reach a far higher level on account of the growing impetus of the Congregational World Movement.

Examination of the statement above will show a slight loss in donations and considerable loss in receipts from legacies. The total loss for the month was $18,235.

CONGREGATIONAL WORLD MOVEMENT PROGRESS

Intense activity is found in Congregational World Movement circles these fall days, especially in behalf of those churches which prefer to make the Every-Member-Canvass in December. With them the year's program is coming to the front with a rush, and the time is all too short for adequate preparation.

Let it be kept clearly in mind that the Movement is stressing three great objectives for the fall, winter, and spring. There are many things the Movement would like to do by way of following the programs voted by the National Council, but on account of the critical condition of our Missionary Boards and our Educational Institutions, the Commission of One Hundred voted this year to concentrate upon Missionary Education, Stewardship, and the Financial Canvass. Logically these objectives should be taken up in that order, and where churches are in a position to enter into the splendid plans for Missionary Education and the inculcation of the spirit and method of Stewardship, the Financial Canvass will follow almost as a matter of course.

Several states, like Maine, Vermont, and Northern California, have voted in favor of the spring date for the canvass, and we are glad to learn that in Massachusetts certain of the local Associations are likely to advise their churches to make their canvass on some Sunday to be agreed upon next April. Wherever the spring date is adopted there will be time for an unhurried and a fairly thorough process of Missionary Education, and on this

account we are inclined to urge that such a course be followed. Where, however, churches have a well-established custom of conducting their Every-Member-Canvass in December, there would appear to be an advantage in adhering to that practice. We judge that in the Eastern States fully half of the churches will follow that course. Where this is the case it is important that intensive educational work be done in November. The Movement stands ready through its Regional and District Directors to aid the churches in all sorts of ways, especially in the use of the Survey and the Digest of the Survey and the Stewardship Chart, which will be furnished to every congregation.

Officers of the American Board are throwing themselves heart and soul into this Movement, and we trust the friends of foreign missions everywhere will join in the effort. If the goal of $5,000,000 for our Congregational missionary and educational interests can be achieved in 1921, it will mean not only that the large increase in the Board's appropriations made necessary last year and to be repeated this year, namely, $305,000, will be provided for, but also that there will come to the Board the additional sum of $440,000. This increase, while by no means meeting adequately the present needs of the Board, will be a tremendous help. Wherever the officers of the Board have come into contact with churches and ecclesiastical gatherings this fall, they have been impressed by the readiness of the people to accept the new financial goal and to push our missionary enterprise as never before. The campaign starts well.

RESTORE THE MISSIONARY PRAYER MEETING

In our opinion, the time has come when the Missionary Prayer Meeting should be recovered to the church. In the early days of the Board the monthly "Missionary Concert" was an established institution in nearly every church. The meeting was ordinarily held on the first Thursday of each month, and on this account it was spoken of as a concert of prayer. The value of this meeting to the missionaries and to the Board was beyond expression. In this way a group of people in each church became familiar with the names of the missionaries, their fields, and the circumstances of the work. Thence arose many special gifts and not a few legacies, and best of all, volunteers.

Later the name "Concert" was dropped, and less attention was given to prayer and more to rehearsing the news and engaging in discussion on missionary themes. Even so the practice of a monthly consideration of the Board's work continued to be of special value. Unfortunately in many instances the program became conventional, people read from the missionary magazines instead of talking, the women and young people began to hold separate meetings, and gradually the good old custom fell away. Comparatively few churches today maintain a successful monthly service of this kind.

Without attempting to revive the old style of meeting in all its detail, we believe the concert of prayer should be reëstablished in the church. We have come into a distinctly new era in this work. It is no longer a question of saving a few souls here and there, but of saving nations and races. The foreign missionary is the true internationalist, the guardian of the peace and welfare of the world. Statesmen, economists, and captains of industry are urging the church to get busy in the realm of international affairs. Periodicals and books are full of interesting material. Travelers are returning with stories of remarkable interest. God is moving mightily upon the world. In what better way can the home church maintain an intelligent interest in the foreign work than by a monthly meeting devoted to the

study of this special line of activity? Where can the wide-awake pastor find a better chance to interest and instruct his people in the big things of the Kingdom? By all means let us have back the monthly concert of prayer.

But this meeting needs reforming as to method and treatment. There should be more brain work, more planning, more variety; in a word, more life. The meeting should easily be the most interesting mid-week service of the month.

In this connection we would commend the monthly missionary topics soon to appear in the handbook issued by *The Congregationalist.* These are prepared by Dr. Gates, the Missionary Education Secretary of the Congregational Education Society. The topics for 1921 will be based on Fleming's "Marks of a World Christian" (Association Press). The topics are wide in their sweep and highly suggestive. To the discussion of the themes proposed we would add two elements: the presentation of the important news of the month (packed, say, into a ten-minute speech), and a season devoted entirely to intercession, and conducted by a person skilled in leading out the prayer life of the people. Whatever we do in this line, let us not fail to have it a real fellowship with God in the work of the Kingdom.

A ROYAL SEND-OFF

Dr. and Mrs. Roy E. St. Clair started for their work in the Philippines assured that their supporting church, the First, of Oakland, Cal., was really back of them. The church had a Philippine Sunday. At the morning service, the pastor, Dr. F. J. Van Horn, preached a strong missionary sermon, full of inspiration and information and personal appeal. Then Sec. Henry H. Kelsey conducted the simple and impressive commissioning service, in which Dr. and Mrs. St. Clair dedicated themselves to the work of foreign missions under the American Board. Happily, the father of Mrs. St. Clair, Rev. A. B. Case, for more than twenty years a missionary of the Board in Mexico, was present, and welcomed these new recruits into the larger missionary family. The large congregation then read, with the new missionaries, the church covenant, thus confirming their adoption of Dr. and Mrs. St. Clair as their own missionaries, and welcoming them as fellow-members of their own church. It was a great morning, but the morning was only half the day. In the evening, a large congregation listened with keen interest to an illustrated lecture on the Philippines, in which Dr. Kelsey set forth the responsibility we Congregationalists now face in the Island of Mindanao. This address was followed by brief talks by Dr. and Mrs. St. Clair. The service was carried to a climax of interest and emotion when all sang most heartily the missionary hymn:—

"From Mindanao's mountains,
From India's coral strand—
. . . . . .
"Shall we whose souls are lighted—
. . . . . .
"Waft, waft, ye winds, the story."

Dr. and Mrs. St. Clair spent a week enjoying the hospitality of the church, including a reception on Wednesday evening. At this gathering were present Rev. Charles E. Ewing, returning to missionary service in China after several years at home; and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hausske, going out under the American Board to be business agents of the Judson Smith and Esther Barton Memorial Hospitals. All were to be fellow-passengers on the *Tenyo Maru,* together with a hundred delegates to the World Sunday School Convention in Tokyo. A Philippine movie film was given at the reception, and five Filipino men, students in Oakland, gave musical numbers on native instruments.

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"There's life alone in duty done and rest alone in striving."

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

TURKEY

Cable Bulletins—Expanded

Bits of news from Asia Minor appear almost daily in the foreign departments of our newspapers. Sometimes they tell of events we have not heard of. Sometimes they refer to events long past, of which rumors have only lately reached the press. The *Missionary Herald* tries to share with its readers important cabled news, and to give the brief items enough explanation and addition to make them intelligible. Here follows a message received early in October:—

"*Adana.* Near East Relief workers serve 106,000 portions of soup and carry on relief work for 20,000 refugees while the city is under fire and cut off from outside world and from supplies. One worker becomes 'soup expert,' builds a fuel-saving stove, and manages the soup kitchen, so that nourishing soups are served at less than ten cents a portion.

"*Talas.* Hospital destroyed by fire. Near East workers save one-third provisions and instruments. Workers and patients safe. Doctor and three American women move patients, and manage so efficiently that hospital work does not stop."

This hospital was one of the largest and best equipped of the American Board institutions, which was placed at the disposal of the Near East Relief workers. It was of stone, three stories high, with sunny porches and set in a walled inclosure.

Rev. Joseph W. Beach, one of the 1919 additions to our Turkey staff, and son of Pres. David N. Beach, of Bangor Theological Seminary, with workers from Cesarea, "obtain permission to visit prison camps of the Nationalists (Kemalists) at Nigdeh. They find and aid a number of French officers and soldiers. Permission was obtained from Mustapha Kemal to allow the Near East mail bags to carry mail for prisoners. The Near East individual remittance department is ready to forward money for the families of prisoners."

"*Adabazar.* Miss Mary E. Kinney, missionary of the Woman's Board, stayed in Adabazar when Kemalists left the city ten days without any government. Robberies and murders occurred, but Miss Kinney was able to keep the orphanage running quietly and safely until a military train carried them to Ismidt.

"*Bardizag.* Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kingsbury ran the Bardizag orphanage safely during Nationalist trouble in that region, and while residents of the town fled." Mr. Kingsbury, an American Board missionary, who reached his field in 1919, had previously served for several years as a term worker, so that he knew the language and was quite able to manage affairs acceptably to every one.

"*Ismidt.* Eighteen thousand Greek and Armenian refugees are being aided in Ismidt, homes being built for them from lumber of former German cloth factory, bombarded during hostilities. Sailors from the United States battleships vote each to adopt a child at the children's tubercular hospital for Christmas Day festivities. The orphanages all need books and substantial toys."

When Brousa Surrendered

The Fourth of July and the three or four days following witnessed unique celebration exercises so far as our own staff and the Near East workers in Brousa were concerned. Miss Edith F. Parsons, a Woman's

THE AMERICAN HOSPITAL AT TALAS

This building was recently destroyed by fire (see "Cable Bulletin Expanded")

Board of the Pacific worker, gives a graphic description of the week:—

"We are waiting," she says, "for the advancing Greek army. We are not quite sure whether we are also waiting for the English. We have the Americans spread out all over town, in order to extend the ægis of their personality in case anything goes wrong.

"Everything stayed very quiet until Thursday, the 8th, though we heard aëroplanes frequently going over the city and constant reports of the nearness of the Greeks, and then on the 8th they came. When we got definite word that the Greeks were within an hour of the city, I went over to Set-Bashi, as Miss Jeannie Jillson there was not very well. I took our Turkish manservant, but, dear me, the streets were quiet to the point of being almost empty; only a few people running to get home, until we were really over to the center of town.

"There I had the good luck to see the actual surrender of the city. The Greeks sent in only five men to take it, an officer and guard of four, all on horseback, which was a very daring and at the same time a very conciliatory thing to do. Those who were left of the Turkish city officials called a meeting and sent for the leaders of the Greek community; and these were not very quick about going, as they thought they might be going to be put in prison. They got there just in time to be present when the summons to surrender arrived, and everybody went down to the foot of the town-hall stairs and received the officer with a white flag; and then they all went in together, and the man who had been chosen to represent the Vali handed over his sword, and it was done.

"I was opposite the town hall when they did it, but it was not until it dawned on me what the white flag was for that I realized what I was watching. Then the Greek deputation rode away, and it was half an hour more before the army began entering the city. We had all warned the Greeks

over and over again to be quiet; that, of course, if armies came they would not stay, for by all the treaty maps ever seen, Brousa was to be Turkish.

"But when you talk that way before a thing happens, you just don't realize how it is going to feel when it happens. For it lacks only six years of being 600 years since the Turks captured Brousa from the Greeks, and that is a long while to wait! At the same time, I have it from a French girl who was on the lower street as they marched in, that the Greeks were just too dazed to do anything at the very first. Then some few Turks, I suppose wanting to make themselves acceptable, called *'Zito'* (*Vive*, Hurrah!), and then it just went like a wave. You could hear it all up the hills.

"Seriously, the self-control of both the army and the Greek community has been so far perfectly wonderful, especially when you think what they have to remember of wrongs done them and their families.

"Naturally, it is bitter for the Turks. They could cheerfully surrender; in fact, all except the Tchetes were clamoring for a chance to surrender to the English. I do not think they would have minded surrendering to the French or to Americans, but, next to Armenians, there is no one it could hurt worse to surrender to than to the Greeks. The dramatic, poetic justice of the thing somehow does not appeal to them. The fact that theft is punished most severely, and that the Greek soldiers pay for all they get in town, ought to appeal, but I am not sure it does. The main machinery of the city government goes right on, too, only there is a commandant of the city who is Greek; and in each of the police stations there is, in addition to the regular police, a Greek soldier and one of the Greek young men of the community to act as interpreter, etc. And of course the soldiers are all through the city, and a good part of the hospital is given over to them; so that Miss Billings, director of the hospital, has very interesting times between her Greek and her Turkish medical staffs."

Miracles and Revelations

Letters which come from those who still serve in Turkey are full of marvelous, true tales of answers to prayer, of sudden deliverances, and of revelations of what Christian love leads Christian people to do. Such a letter is one which reached us in late September from Rev. James K. Lyman, whose station is Marash, but who has gone up and down the country administering relief, establishing orphanages, and helping the village people to look upward for help and to plan to take up life again. We quote a few paragraphs from this letter:—

"I have longed to visit these places and see what our orphanages are doing, but the Marash war and the events which followed did not make it possible for me to travel in those parts. However, I at length set out to make the rounds. . . .

Prayer Answered

"In Yarpouz, we found the Armenians getting on well considering conditions in most places. It is true they had evil days. The man with whom I stayed said: 'We heard that our neighbors were coming to kill us. I went into the house and called my wife. We took the family Bible and read from it, and prayed that God would watch over us. While we yet prayed, they opened the door and came in with their guns and swords. We do not know how, but God touched their hearts, and they turned and went as they had come.' Those neighbors afterward confessed that they came to kill, but somehow were restrained at the last moment."

Because Mr. Lyman and his carts were robbed and one of his guards killed in a desolate portion of the way to another of the villages where there was an orphanage, it was decided that he should return by another road, "by

way of Chardack," through Circassian villages, which he says reminded him of his native land—"gardens with vegetables, orchards with apples, plums, peaches, etc., gabled houses all plastered and whitewashed; an Aryan race, eager for schools for their children and ready to take the Gospels I offered them."

Then comes the story of the orphanage at Albustan, which Mr. Lyman had established six months earlier, placing in charge the pastor, Garabed Khoja Hassessian. "He had many difficulties. For a while the building was taken over by the Turkish soldiers. We heard of it and sent a telegram asking them to respect American rights. This had the desired effect, for without any warning they called the Khoja and handed him the keys of the house.

A Latter Day Parable

"But the most interesting story Garabed Khoja tells concerns one of the orphan boys. During the winter, when the snow was on the ground and the weather was so cold that they were not opening their shops, a small boy, five or six years of age, was staying in the big mosque. The boy was sick, and for two or three weeks had been unable to get about, and no one had taken care of him. Finally, the stench from the sick boy became so bad that the Mullah said:—

"'We must have this boy moved; this is becoming unbearable.'

"The registrar for the ward said, 'This boy must be moved, for who can come here to worship?'

"The rich man of the city said: 'How can we say our prayers with such a stench? This boy must be moved.'

"Then it occurred to some one to send him to the American orphanage. So they sent a gendarme to inquire of Garabed Khoja if he would take the boy into the orphanage. He said he would take him. When he inquired if the boy had any sores, the gendarme replied, 'Only a small one or two.' When the boy arrived and the Khoja saw him, he was amazed, for he had never in his life seen anything that would compare with that boy. He said: 'Why did you bring him here? He will most certainly die.'

"The boy had his chin stuck fast to his breast. Both arms were stuck fast to his sides, and his clothes and his fez were grown fast. He was full of sores from head to foot. The Khoja heated some water, and proceeded to remove his clothes and give him a bath. Then he put some medicine on the sores, and the boy howled with all his might. However, the medicine proved beneficial, and in a few days all the sores dried up and the boy recovered. He is the brightest and the cheeriest little chap. He is a Kurd and his name is Hassan.

"Now the Turks come and ask where is the boy that was in the mosque. They refuse to believe that this is the same boy. But when he tells them that he is the boy and that his name is Hassan, they have to believe.

"One Moslem who came said: 'Our Mullah, and our registrar, and our richest man would cast the boy out in the winter, but you took him in and cared for him. That is what we should have done, but we did not. This shows that your religion is stronger and better than ours.'

The Lame, the Halt, and the Blind

"The Kurdish Khoja who has helped Garabed Khoja in getting the children says: 'Of all the thirty-five children that they let you have, there was not one that wasn't lame, blind, with fever, full of sores, or something wrong. They didn't give you one single child that was healthy and strong.'

"Some of the people have tried to get the children to run away, telling them 'the Khoja will make Christian dogs of you.' However, the Khoja has taught them some hymns and some Psalms and the Lord's Prayer.

Almost every day some one calls some of the boys and examines them to see what they are learning. The boys will repeat the hymns and Psalms, and then the people will shake their heads and say, 'This doesn't sound like Ghaurlik (Christian teaching); there isn't anything bad in this.' In this way, not only the children are learning something, but the people are also learning something from the children.

"When we consider the difficulties under which the orphanages have been started, it is nothing less than a miracle that anything has survived. How they have survived and succeeded, in spite of opposition, only God knows. The Armenians in Gerksun and Albustan both say, 'Had it not been for the orphanage, we would none of us be alive today.' When one thinks of the faith and love that Garabed Khoja and Kevork Khoja have put into this service for these children, one is reminded of the Christ and his service on earth; and I think of Nazile, the Armenian widow who helps Garabed Khoja in caring for these children. The Turks have killed her husband. She lost her three children in the recent Marash war. They were massacred. Yet there she is, giving her life to help the Turkish and Kurdish orphans."

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MICRONESIA

At Kusaie

Four months of time are necessary to carry a letter to Kusaie, and four months more are needed to bring a reply; so that Miss Jane Baldwin's letter, dated March 24, did not reach her Boston correspondent until July. It was full of rejoicing over the visit of Dr. and Mrs. Pedley, of Japan, to the Islands, a description of which appeared in the *Missionary Herald* of June, 1920, although Miss Baldwin mourns the brevity of their stay, and says: "I seem to be continually thinking of the things unsaid for lack of time;" but "may be this inspiring visit is only a foretaste of what is to follow. We have waited for twenty-one years for a visitor, and now that it is proved that Micronesia is reachable, shall we not have more?"

She goes on to describe another surprise visitor, the *Iju Ran*, the little schooner which used to ply between the island stations, and whose traveling days were supposed to be over after the hurricane of a year and a half ago. Miss Baldwin's letter runs:—

"On January 30, a small schooner was sighted. When near enough to recognize, what was our surprise to see the *Iju Ran* sailing past our house for Star Harbor. I went down immediately and found that the boat had been drifting for forty-seven days, had passed through heavy storms, when the tiny craft was nearly swallowed up by the great waves, and the water supply was nearly exhausted. One aged teacher, a former scholar of Dr. Pease, and his wife were on board. She was very weak, as she had not been able to eat for four weeks. Some of the sailors were also ill after they got on shore, owing to the change to hearty food after the rations of one cracker a day.

"On March 14, the passengers, captain, and one sailor went on by steamer to Jaluit. The *Iju Ran* was at our port, Lela, when Miss Hoppin sent supplies—rice, soap, and kerosene—for the school; and it was fine to have our own ship to bring them round to us, without their being damaged by going through the waves on the reef. Some think she is not worth repairing, but the sailor boys are calking and painting, as they love their little boat. We do need a larger and a stronger one, however, for the Marshall work, and I hope the Board can grant one.

The Printing Press

"The 59,600 pages printed last year represent an immense amount of labor. We have only a small hand press, with a limited amount of type.

Often the k's are insufficient in number, and the printers have to change and work for an hour or two, in order to put the page through. In addition, the papers have to be laid out singly to dry; and when 1,000 Christian Endeavor Topics and Daily Readings were printed for the Marshalls, one-third of our first floor was carpeted with papers. Our boys do all of this work out of school hours, while others are gathering food. We sadly need a large press, and hope it may come to us."

CHINA

Straws Show the Wind's Direction

Our Shaowu Mission has a field the size of the State of Massachusetts, with a population of 1,500,000. Our force consists of upward of fifteen missionaries and 125 native workers. There are thirty-three organized churches, sixty regular preaching stations, nearly nine hundred baptized communicants, and more than a thousand enrolled adherents. A recent letter from Rev. Edwin D. Kellogg tells of insistent calls for advance and enrollments of many new inquirers. He says:—

"I have just returned from a thirteen days' trip to our southernmost outposts, and some of the unusual things that happened on this trip I mention below.

"At Wan An Tsai, a large market town where the work has been discouraging for several years, I took five into membership, which increased the membership by some 30 per cent. Probably so many were never received there at one time before.

"In Taining, a district city where our work has been at a standstill for several years, and where no impression has been made on the gentry of the city, a young man of thirty-two was received into membership. He owns one of the largest cloth shops, and opposite his place of business, on the busiest street of the city, has been opened a lecture hall, where at least twice a week lectures and evangelistic services are held. He himself is buying Christian books and loaning them to his friends, quite a number of whom he is leading in the new way he has found.

"As he himself said: 'Why, I didn't know what this Jesus was before, and

A TOURING PARTY

Besides Mr. Kellogg, a preacher, two lay Christians, and two learners appear in the picture, as well as two load carriers

WITHIN A SOUTHERN OUTSTATION CHURCH

This is a modern building and only $100 of foreign money went into it.
A week-day morning preaching and communion service

here I've been walking the wrong road for these several years. I want to get all my friends and the leading men of the city into this new way that I have found.'

"He further added, in explanation of his constant attendance at church, 'When I'm tempted to stay away for some important business reason, my heart is very much disturbed, so much so that I cannot stay away from the church services.' It looks as though a new day had dawned for this city of Taining, which has so baffled us these many years.

"At Ta Tien Shi, also in the Taining District, the leading man of a nearby town has been won. The attendance at church has been twenty or thirty, on the average. He has set 100 as the mark to be attained during the year, and the church seems in a fair way to reach it. He himself, because no other suitable man was found for day-school teacher of the local church school, has taken up the task; and because he is anxious to prepare several of the pupils for admission to the academy at Shaowu, is working overtime, teaching from 8 A.M. to 5.30 P.M.

"During Chinese New Year's I helped dedicate the new church at the county seat, after which Mr. Siao, our active preacher there, took me out on one of the main roads to Kiangsi Province, over which I doubt if any missionary had walked before.

"After twenty miles, passing through several large villages entirely unevangelized, we crossed a high ridge into a valley, with villages dotting the valley floor and nestled in the surrounding foothills. Last January, Mr. Siao had visited here on the urgent invitation of the people, and had rented a 'Place of Prayer.' This time, when within about a mile of there, we were met by some fifty or sixty of the best men of the district, who had come out to welcome the man from a far country. Furthermore, they had brought a band of four pieces to escort us; and whenever we passed through a village, firecrackers were set off, and when we entered the new chapel the noise was deafening and the smoke so dense we could scarcely see. New seats had been made, and generally they had prepared a most unusual reception.

"That night and the next day were spent in meetings in the chapel and in the surrounding villages. It rained quite hard the second night, and no large crowd was expected, but some came in from more than a mile away, in spite of driving rain and darkness.

"To one old man I said, 'I didn't expect you to come in on such a night as this.'

"To which he replied, 'Do you suppose I would stay at home when such important news had been brought by so honorable a guest from so many thousand miles away?'

"The meeting dissolved somewhat unwillingly about midnight, which indicates how much they want the Good News to come to their district. One hundred and seven enrolled inquirers is another indication.

"The China for Christ Movement, which is the Chinese counterpart of the Interchurch World Movement at home, has found expression in the formation at Shaowu of a City Evangelistic Committee, which seeks to enroll Christians from the three city churches and from the Y. M. C. A. of the Boys' Academy, and to form them into bands of two or three members each, each band promising to function at least once a week. The objectives are street preaching, home prayer meetings, prisons, soldier and boat-landing meetings; Sunday school work and bookselling; village evangelism, government school Bible classes, etc. The spring meeting at Yangkow, early in June, has the China for Christ Movement as its general topic.

"At Yangkow, the garrison of 200 soldiers march to church every Sunday afternoon. At Shuin Chang, the soldiers propose to borrow a temple and invite our preacher to preach to them every Sunday. The civil and military heads all attended church on a recent visit there by Mr. McClure.

"These are a few of the straws which show which way the wind blows. Do you wonder we feel that we are living in a new era, and long to be furnished with the weapons which are needed to enter the open doors and possess the land? As our Pastor Chang says, 'The time is at hand.'"

THE CHRONICLE

Specials

Wanted. Christmas decorations, trees, etc., for hospital wards. Slightly used or shopworn goods acceptable, if in good condition. Send at once, parcel post, addressed Williams-Porter Hospital, Tehchow, Shantung, China. To eleven pounds in weight, postage is twelve cents per pound.

Wanted. Lantern slides, preferably colored, any and all kinds, single or scattered lots, but of standard size. Send to Mr. J. G. Hosmer, 14 Beacon Street, Boston, marking for Williams-Porter Hospital, Tehchow, Shantung, China. Write a letter to Tehchow, giving your name, and receive acknowledgment from the field.

Births

August 16. In Kuliang, China, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. St. Clair, of the Foochow Mission, a daughter, Elizabeth.

August 17. In Kuliang, China, to Rev. and Mrs. Edwin D. Kellogg, of the Shaowu Mission, a daughter, Elizabeth Ropes.

September 3. In Constantinople, Turkey, to Rev. and Mrs. Harrison A. Maynard, of the Eastern Turkey Mission, a son, Edward Lincoln.

September 13. In Marsovan, Turkey, to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore D. Riggs, a daughter, Dorothy.

October 6. In Madison, Wis., to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar M. Flint, of the Madura Mission, a son, David Gordon.

Arrivals on the Field

July 26. In Calicut, India, Rev. James H. Dickson, formerly of the Ceylon Mission, now joining the Madura Mission.

September 3. In Salonica, Greece, Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry House, returning to the station; and Misses Grace M. Elliott and Sophie M. Meebold, joining the Balkan Mission.

September 6. In Yokohama, Japan, Rev. and Mrs. Charles M. Warren, returning to the Japan Mission.

September 7. In Samokov, Bulgaria, Mrs. Edward B. Haskell, returning to the Balkan Mission.

September 7. In Yokohama, Japan, Rev. and Mrs. Aaron W. Downs, Mr. and Mrs.

Harold W. Hacket, joining the Japan Mission.

September 9. In Constantinople, Turkey, Mr. and Mrs. Luther R. Fowle, Mrs. Ernest A. Yarrow, Mr. Paul F. Bobb, Mrs. L. S. Crawford, Miss Annie M. Barker, Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Markham, Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Compton, Miss Caroline Silliman, and Miss Eleanor Ketchum.

September 10. In Samokov, Bulgaria, Rev. Edward B. Haskell, rejoining the Balkan Mission.

September 15. In Peking, China, Misses Jean Dickinson and Anne P. Swann, joining the North China Mission.

September 15. In Samokov, Bulgaria, Rev. and Mrs. William C. Cooper, returning to the Balkan Mission.

September 24. In Smyrna, Greece, Miss Olive Greene, rejoining Western Turkey Mission.

Arrivals in this Country

September 20. In New York, N. Y., Miss Jean M. Turnbull, of Harpoot, Eastern Turkey Mission.

October 8. In San Francisco, Miss Abbie G. Chapin, of Paotingfu, Chihli District, North China Mission.

Sailing for their Fields

September 23. From Vancouver, Rev. Clarence A. Neff, of Foochow, and Mr. Robert B. Shaw, going for term service to Tunghsien, Chihli, China.

September 23. From New York, Rev. and Mrs. Lyle D. Woodruff, of Samokov, Bulgaria; and Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Markham, *en route* for the Balkan Mission.

September 29. From New York, Miss Elizabeth Trowbridge, to rejoin the Central Turkey Mission.

September 30. From New York, Rev. and Mrs. George A. Wilder, of Chikore, Rhodesia Branch, South Africa Mission; and Rev. and Mrs. Harwood B. Catlin, of Durban, Zulu Branch, South Africa Mission.

October 2. From San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Newell, of Foochow, China, rejoining the mission.

October 5. From Seattle, Dr. Josephine Kennedy, joining the Shaowu Mission, China.

October 14. From New York, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill N. Isely, Misses Jessie E. Martin, Myrtle E. Nolan, Pauline H. Rehder, Elsa Reckman, Lilian C. Brauer, Agnes Baird, and Mr. Robert F. Trueblood, to join the several Turkey missions.

Deaths

June 24. In Kuliang, China, Robert Lowrey, son of Rev. and Mrs. Obed S. Johnson, of Canton, South China Mission.

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A woman long connected with missionary circles was Mrs. N. G. Clark, who died in West Roxbury, September 30, at the age of eighty-four years. She was the widow of Dr. Nathaniel G. Clark, for nearly thirty years Secretary of this Board, and the daughter of Rev. Isaac R. Worcester, a member at one time of the Prudential Committee.

Mrs. Clark was one of the last surviving charter members of the Woman's Board of Missions, and was one of its vice-presidents until her death. She was actively interested in founding the School for Girls in Spain, which is now located at Barcelona; and the School for Girls in Turkey, which has become Constantinople College.

Funeral services were held in Mrs. Clark's old home in West Roxbury, Dr. E. H. Byington, pastor of her church, and Dr. James L. Barton, of the American Board, conducting them. The only surviving one of Dr. and Mrs. Clark's three children is Mrs. James W. Rollins, of Milton, Mass.

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The death, on October 11, in Newburyport, Mass., of Mr. Charles A. Bliss, removed a good friend of the American Board and a former member of its Prudential Committee. Mr. Bliss was a prominent citizen, active in all good works. He had held directorates in the Massachusetts and Rhode Island Young Men's Christian Associations, and been prominent in the local Association as well as in Central Congregational Church, of Newburyport. Mr. Bliss is survived by a widow and six children, as well as three sisters and three brothers, one of whom is a missionary of the American Board, Dr. Edward L. Bliss, of Shaowu, China.

DONATIONS RECEIVED IN AUGUST

NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT

Maine

Auburn, 6th-st. Cong. ch., 13.62; High-st. Cong. ch., Mrs. W. W. Marr, 5, 18 62
Bangor, Hammond-st. Cong. ch., of which 5 from Rev. F. B. Denio and 1 from Mary F. Duren, 6; All Souls' Cong. ch., Dorothea Beach, 2; Rev. Calvin M. Clark, 10; Friend, 5, 23 00
Bar Harbor, Cong. ch. 487 00
Bath, Winter-st. Cong. ch., of which 5 from Rev. Omar W. Folsom and 15 from Frances M. Simpson, 65; Central Cong. ch., Annie L. Palmer, 10; Sarah A. Hyde, 1, 76 00
Belfast, 1st Cong. ch., H. M. Prentiss, 15; Mrs. E. C. Gay, 4, 19 00
Bethel, Cong. ch. 15 00
Bluehill, Cong. ch. 7 00
Brewer, 1st Cong. ch., 64.42; M. G. Prentiss, 10, 74 42
Brunswick, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. L. J. Moses, 5 00
Calais, Cong. ch., 87; Mrs. Geo. H. Eaton, in memory of Geo. H. Eaton, 100; Friend, 5, 192 00
Camden, Joseph W. Bowers, 10; Mrs. M. B. Rich, 5; Clara F. Glover, 1, 16 00
Castine, Rev. Albert Donnell, 10 00
Cherryfield, Cong. ch. 20 00
East Baldwin, Mrs. Emily J. Brown, 3 00
Ellsworth, Friend, 10 00
Farmington, 1st Cong. ch., of which 2 from Katharine M. Titcomb, 38; Mrs. C. M. Cushman, 5; Mary F. Cushman, 4; W. A. Titcomb, 1, 48 00
Gorham, 1st Cong. ch., Friend, 5 00
Greenville, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Rev. and Mrs. Harry C. Vrooman, 16 50
Hallowell, Old South Cong. ch., of which 20 from Annie F. Page and 5 from Sophie B. Gilman, 25 00
Hampden, Cong. ch. 35 00
Harrison, Cong. ch., W. L. Grover, 5; Wm. S. Perley, 1, 6 00
Hiram, Cong. ch. 10 00
Holden, Cong. ch. 24 00
Kennebunkport, South Cong. ch., of which 50 toward support of missionary, 240 00
Lewiston, Pine-st. Cong. ch., Franklin M. Drew, 15; Lilian and Florence Wells, 5, 20 00
Limerick, Cong. ch. 17 00
Lincoln, Cong. ch. 19 00
Litchfield, Cong. ch. 10 00
Lovell, Cong. ch., N. Flint Allard, 5 00
Machias, Center-st. Cong. ch., Amelia and Julia H. Thaxter, 5 00
Mechanic Falls, Cong. ch., S. L. Hawley, 10 00
Millinocket, Cong. ch. 16 00
Minot Center, Cong. ch., Mrs. Fannie N. Wells, 15 00
North Bridgton, Miss E. W. Gould, 25 00
North Yarmouth, Cong. ch. 10 00
Portland, 2d Cong. ch., of which 30 from Mrs. Chas. O. Pratt, 5 from Hattie A. Hutchins, toward support Rev. J. P. Dysart, 50 from Friend, and 3 from Friend, 88; Williston Cong. ch., of which 25 from Jas. W. Stevenson and 5 from M. C. Hutchinson, 30; Seamen's Bethel Cong. ch., Friend, 15; Woodfords Cong. ch., Ella W. True, 5; Rev. L. H. Hallock, 10; Rev. Geo. Wm. Kelly, 5; Niles Ek and Family, 50; Mrs. Geo. O. Packard, 25; Augustus F. Moulton, 25; Chas. L. Marston, 10; Wm. W. Mitchell, 10; C. W. Morton, 10, 283 00
Rockland, Mary N. P. Hawken, 5 00
Sanford, North Cong. ch., Friend, 1 00
Searsport, Jas. H. Duncan, 15 00
Skowhegan, Gertrude S. Weston, 5 00
South Berwick, 1st Cong. ch., 80; Helen D. Sewall, 50; Friend, 1, 131 00
South Portland, Flores I. Smart, 2 00
South Thomaston, Finnish Cong. ch. 5 00
Standish, Mary E. Dudley, 15 00
Turner, Cong. ch. 25 00
Veazie, Cong. ch. 7 00
Waterford, 1st Cong. ch., 39.73; Charlotte S. Rice, 2, 41 73
Waterville, Henry L. Tappan, 10 00
Wells, 2d Cong. ch. 7 00
Westbrook, Cong. ch., E. J. Haskell, 5; Walter F. Haskell, 10, 15 00
Windham, Cong. ch., Elizabeth B. Johnson, 10 00
York Beach, Union Cong. ch., Elwyn A. Webster, 10 00

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Legacies.—New Gloucester, Solomon H. Chandler, for missionary work as specified in the will, 15,086 82

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New Hampshire

Acworth, Esther R. Chatterton, 3 00
Atkinson, Cong. ch. 47 25
Auburn, Cong. ch., Frank B. Coult, 5 00
Barnstead, Henrietta B. Hoitt, 10 00
Bethlehem, "For His Sake," 5 00
Brentwood, Cong. ch. 3 00
Campton, Cong. ch. 15 00
Charlestown, Mrs. C. J. Judkins, 2 00
Chester, Cong. ch. 25 00
Concord, 1st Cong. ch., Leslie P. Hinds, 3; Rev. Edw. A. Tuck, 10; Miss M. Hazelton, 2; O. W. Crowell, 1; Friend, 20, 36 00
Croydon, Cong. ch., Friends, 30 00
Derry Village, Central Cong. ch., Mrs. C. E. Newell, 5 00
East Derry, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Martha Day, 5 00
Epping, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mabel J. Thompson, 15 00
Epsom, Union Cong. ch. 1 00
Exeter, 1st Cong. ch., 102.75; Rev. E. B. Pike, 2; Albert N. Dow, 25; Mrs. Lucy A. Gordon, 15, 144 75
Francestown, Cong. ch., Maria A. Richardson, 10 00
Franklin, Anna G. Blodgett, 50; Mrs. A. L. Welch, 2; Friend, 5, 57 00
Goffstown, Cong. ch., Mrs. Laura E. Gerould, 10; Friends, 20, 30 00
Greenville, Cong. ch. and S. S., 23; Flora L. Kimball, 50, 73 00
Hampstead, Cong. ch. 25 00
Hanover, ch. of Christ, Dartmouth College, of which 10 from Mr. and Mrs. John K. Lord, 230; Friend, 10, 240 00
Henniker, Cong. ch., Walter A. Connor, 25 00
Hollis, Cong. ch., Mrs. Wm. Canavan, 10 00
Hudson, Rev. T. C. H. Bouton, 10 00
Jaffrey, 1st Cong. ch., of which 2 from Mary E. Phelps, 55 00
Keene, 1st Cong. ch., Ida M. Wilder, 10; Sarah L. Wood, 50; "M.," 30, 90 00
Laconia, Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Landis, 5 00
Lancaster, Cong. ch. 21 02
Lebanon, Cong. ch., Mrs. E. S. Haskell, 15; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carter, 100, 115 00
Lisbon, 1st Cong. ch., 50; Mary R. Cummings, 75, 125 00
Littleton, Mrs. M. J. Goodenough, 2; Mrs. C. F. Lewis, 2, 4 00
Lyme, Cong. ch., of which 20 from Mrs. Katharine J. Washburn and 2 from Chas. H. Greenough, 22 00
Manchester, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pittenger and 5 from F. Mabel Winchell, 30; Electa M. Priest, 30; John F. McKinnon, 10; Martha W. Hubbard, 5; Clyde H. Parker, 5; Friend, 2, 82 00

Marlboro, Cong. ch. 30 00
Meriden, Mrs. Frederic B. Phelps, 1 50
Milford, Cong. ch., Fanny C. Guild, 5; S. B. Emmons, 5, 10 00
Nashua, Rev. W. L. Noyes, 2; Sarah E. Hills, 5; Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Swain, 5; Mary A. Frost, 2; Friend, 5, 19 00
Nelson, Cong. ch. 20 00
Northfield and Tilton, Cong. ch., Katharine H. Sanborn, 1 00
North Hampton, Cong. ch. 50 00
North Weare, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Lucy A. Hadley and 5 from Ella M. Bailey, 10 00
Ossipee, 1st Cong. ch. 23 00
Oxford, West Cong. ch. 35 00
Peterborough, Union Cong. ch., Ida F. Hatch, 10 00
Plaistow, N. H., and North Haverhill, Mass., Cong. ch. 32 40
Plymouth, Cong. ch., Friend, 100 00
Portsmouth, North Cong. ch., of which 25 from Fred. W. Walker, 715; Edward C. Matthews, 2, 717 00
Sanbornville, Laura G. Page, 1 00
Somersworth, 1st Cong. ch. 27 00
Sullivan, Union Cong. ch., Mrs. Alonzo A. Ware, 2 00
Sunapee, Mrs. Geo. H. Bartlett, 15 00
Walpole, 1st Cong. ch., 15.32; F. W. Van Wagenen, 25, 40 32
Warner, Cong. ch., Mrs. G. A. Foss, 4; Friend, 30, 34 00
Webster, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Henry H. Austin, 27 00
West Rindge, Herbert E. Wetherbee, for outfit of R. Finney Markham, 100 00
Winchester, 1st Cong. ch. 75 00

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Vermont

Bellows Falls, 1st Cong. ch., Abbie T. Leonard, 5; C. W. Osgood, 10, 15 00
Berlin, Cong. ch., Mary Perrin, 10 00
Brattleboro, West Cong. ch., 135; Williston Walker, 25; Mrs. H. L. Bancroft, 5; Herbert P. Woodin, 5, 170 00
Burlington, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Mrs. Charlotte L. Nash, 5 from M. C. Grandy, and 25 from Friend, 55; Rev. Stephen G. Barnes, 10; S. F. Emerson, 5, 70 00
Castleton, Friend, 1 00
Chelsea, Cong. ch., of which 43.20 toward support Dr. C. W. Young and 3 from Mrs. Sylvia Dearborn, 46 20
Colchester, Cong. ch. 5 00
Cornwall, Cong. ch. 77 22
Dorset, Cong. ch., Friend, 50 00
East Corinth, Harriet F. James, 15 00
Gaysville, Cong. ch., Rev. Levi Wild, 5 00
Granby, Cong. ch., Mrs. C. W. Matthews, 2 00
Hartford, Mary B. Evans, 20 00
Holland, Cong. ch., Harry R. Marsh, 5 00
Island Pond, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bosworth, 10 00
Jamaica, Cong. ch., Mrs. Lucy R. Kellogg, 2 00
Jeffersonville, H. W. Varnum, 50 00
Leicester, Cong. ch., Nettie W. Johnson, 1 00
Ludlow, Cong. ch., Rev. Clifford H. Smith, 20 00
Lyndonville, 1st Cong. ch. 27 00
Manchester, Cong. ch., of which 2 from Mrs. L. Munson, 72 20
Marshfield, Cong. ch. 11 00
McIndoe Falls, Rev. Albert V. Fisher, 1 00
Middlebury, Cong. ch., Chas. B. Wright, 10; Aurelius Sykes, 5, 15 00
Montpelier, Bethany Cong. ch., H. G. Woodruff, 5 00
Newport, W. H. Blanchard, 1 00
Orleans, Cong. ch., Mrs. C. E. Gay, 5; Anna B. Jones, 10; Isaac Keys, 5, 20 00
Peacham, Cong. ch., R. L. Wilson, 5 00
Perkinsville, G. B. Woodbury, 50
Pittsford, Cong. ch., M. E. Merrill, 3 00
Proctor, W. E. Higbee, to const. *himself* H. M., 100; Frank C. Partridge, 50, 150 00
Putney, Mrs. E. H. Field, 2 00
Randolph Center, Mrs. David H. Nutting, 10 00
Royalton, Cong. ch., Lucy Wild, 1 00
Rutland, Cong. ch., toward support Rev. E. A. Yarrow, 75; Miss H. B. Smith, 1, 76 00
St. Johnsbury, Rev. Chas. H. Morse, 10 00
South Royalton, Cong. ch., G. E. Lathrop, 4 00
Springfield, Mrs. S. H. Gilfillan, 10; Mary A. Ellis, 2, 12 00
Thetford, Mrs. J. T. Quimby, 5 00
Waitsfield, Cong. ch. 44 55
Wallingford, Friend, 1 00
Waterbury, Sara E. Graves, 1 00
Waterford, Union Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Wallace, 1 00
West Brattleboro, Friend, 20 00
Westminster West, Cong. ch., Walter F. Buxton, 10 00
Weston, Cong. ch., Emma C. Peabody, 15 00
West Rutland, Frank A. Morse, in memory of Frank H. Wiggin, Treas. 25 00
Weybridge, Cong. ch., Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Barnum, 5 00
White River Junction, Chas. M. Carpenter, 2 00
Williston, Cong. ch., Mrs. H. C. Miller, 25 00
Windsor, Chas. Tuxbury, 10 00
Woodstock, Elizabeth Billings, 500; Mrs. M. C. Hutchinson, 1, 501 00
———, Vermont Churches, through Vermont Cong. Conference, see detail in September Receipts, 2,322 15

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Massachusetts

Abington, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from W. C. Lean, 91 50
Acton, Mrs. A. W. Doolittle, 5 00
Agawam, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. Mary E. Guilford, 72 88
Allerton, Friend, 50 00
Amesbury, Main-st. Cong. ch., O. S. Gordon, 5 00
Amherst, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Mrs. Sarah E. Norton and 45 from Friend, of which 30 for Aruppukottai, 370; North Cong. ch., of which 4 from Mrs. S. E. and Martha E. Harrington, 204; South Cong. ch., of which 50 from W. H. Atkins and 25 from Ralph B. Howlett, 75; Mrs. Wm. L. Cowles, 100; Wm. L. Cowles, 15; Chas. W. Miller, 10; Martha A. King, 5; Mrs. Esther E. Thompson, 5; Friend, 20, 804 00
Andover, Free Christian Cong. ch., Friend, 500; South Cong. ch., of which 100 from Francis H. Foster and 5 from Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, 105; Rev. and Mrs. Markham H. Stackpole, 50; Geo. B. Ripley, 20; Miss S. S. and Miss E. R. Torrey, 10; Mabel E. Emerson, 5; Delight W. Hall, 5; Mrs. Geo. W. White, 5; Annabel Richardson, 1; Friend, 1, 702 00
Arlington, Mrs. D. M. Babcock, 30; Hamilton H. Perkins, 10, 40 00
Ashfield, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from A. F. Richmond, 25; Rev. Henry T. Perry, 10, 35 00
Athol, Sarah C. Wood, 5 00
Attleboro, 2d Cong. ch., Calista C. Thacher, 10 00
Auburndale, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. J. B. Chapin, 5 from Mrs. A. S. Cooley, 5 from Wm. H. Cooley, and 5 from Mrs. Martha B. Hazen, 20; Laura P. Danforth, 100; Harriet D. Danforth, 100; Mrs. C. M. Lamson, 50; Annie C. Strong, 10; Harriet E. Walker, 5; Martha S. Dutton, 5; C. N., 5, 295 00
Baldwinville, Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Bronsdon, 4 50
Ballardvale, Union Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. Geo. P. Byington, 38 47
Barre, Mrs. Mary Ricketts, 5 00
Belchertown, Cong. ch., 48.50; Mrs. Dora B. Bardwell, 5, 53 50
Bernardston, Goodale Memorial Cong. ch. 45 00
Beverly, Dane-st. Cong. ch., of which 50 from Mrs. Susan E. Trask, toward support Rev. J. L. Moulton, and 2 from Kate W. Studley, 52; Harold C. Childs, 1; Mary E. Glidden, 1, 54 00

Billerica, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Dana H. Spiller and 10 from Friend, 54.65; Clarence A. Bowman, 5, 59 65
Boston, Highland Cong. ch. (Roxbury), of which 25 from Mrs. W. R. Nichols, 15 from Joseph Esselen, and 1,000 from Friend, 1,040; Central Cong. ch. (Jamaica Plain), 300; Cong. ch. (Roslindale), of which 20 from B. D., 190; 2d Cong. ch. (Dorchester), of which 75 from Z. A. Norris, toward support native worker in India, 50 from Effie M. Page, 5 from Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Farwell, 2 from Mrs. Abby M. Armington, and 1 from Henrietta E. Tolman, 133; Trinity Cong. ch. (Neponset), of which 15 from Mrs. H. G. Dixon, 65; Mt. Vernon Cong. ch., of which 30 from Mrs. Geo. Washburn and 25 from Robert E. Wilson, 55; Cong. ch. (Brighton), 53.38; Park-st. Cong. ch., Mrs. Harriet P. W. Butler, 25; Union Cong. ch., Friend, 25; Cong. ch. (West Roxbury), Friend, 25; Old South Cong. ch., Rev. Fred'k M. Cutler, 10; Immanuel-Walnut-av. Cong. ch. (Roxbury), Irving H. Upton, 5; Rev. Francis E. Clark, 10; John Wells Morss, 150; J. J. Arakelyan, 100; Mrs. Wm. E. Murdock, 100; Mrs. E. S. Clark, 50; Harold S. Davis, 25; Mrs. Alpheus H. Hardy, in memory of Alpheus H. Hardy, 25; R. S. Twitchell, 20; M. F. Davis, 15; D. N. Blakely, 10; Mrs. F. E. Bridgman, 10; Ada M. Fitts, 10; J. W. Field, 10; Jennie Lyon, 10; Serena F. Perry, 10; Cora F. Stoddard, 10; Thomas Todd Co., 10; Mary C. Wiggin, 10; Frances S. Wiggin, 10; E. O. Otis, 5; S. B. Holman, 5; Geo. W. Merrill, 5; J. C. Redmond, 5; Mary C. Hardy, 5; Abigail B. P. Walley, 5; Isaac T. Ripley, 5; Mary E. Blodgett, 3; Chas. P. Raymond, 2; Mary Barrows, 2; W. S. Bacon, 1; J. T. Maclean, 1; M. B. M., in memory of Rev. F. H. Means, 100; J. H. B., 25; Friend, 500; Friend, 150; Friend, 30, 3,370 38
Boxford, 1st Cong. ch., Florence M. Averill, 1; In memory of Elizabeth Lamson Sawyer, 10; Friend, 1, 12 00
Bradford, 1st ch. of Christ, Rev. and Mrs. Geo. E. Cary, 5; Lillian Hilton, 5, 10 00
Braintree, 1st Cong. ch., Member, 25 00
Bridgewater, Central-sq. Cong. ch., of which 10 from Wm. F. Leonard and 5 from Virginia T. Wells, 15 00
Brimfield, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. Melven Booth and 1.25 from Mrs. Arthur B. Brown, 6 25
Brockton, Porter Cong. ch., of which 15 from James B. Fraser and 10 from William Balch, 25; South Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunbar, 10; Abbott W. Packard, 5, 40 00
Brookfield, Miss M. E. Gibson, 1 00
Brookline, Harvard Cong. ch., Mrs. A. S. Lovett, 100; Leyden Cong. ch., Alice D. Adams, 5; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Titcomb, 500; The Misses Withington, 50; Mary A. White, 25; Julia S. L. Dwight, 25; C. M. Goddard, 25; Marion L. Sharp, 10; Geo. P. Davis, 10; Cullen B. Snell, 5; Mrs. C. B. Snell, 5; Robert Spurr Weston, 3; Frederick M. Newcomb, 1; J. E. S., 25, 789 00
Cambridge, 1st ch. (Cong.), of which 10 from James H. Ropes, 5 from Maurice W. Mather, 2 from Miss M. E. C. Smith, 100 from Friend, and 10 from Friend, 127; Pilgrim Cong. ch., of which 5 from Frank T. Wilde and 10 from Friend, 15; L. G. Hathaway, 100; Mrs. John A. Lansing, 15; Helen F. Brigham, 10; F. L. Fischer, 10; Mrs. Alice M. Green, 5; Frank Foxcroft, 5; Friend, 15, 302 00
Campello, Anna S. Benson, 10; Emma F. Leonard, 5; T. Stuart Alden, 5; Theodore H. Alden, 2; Lewis W. Pearson, 1, 23 00
Canton, Cong. ch., Rev. Samuel A. Harlow, 10; Abner Morse, 100; Mrs. F. M. Bird, 30, 140 00
Centerville, Cong. ch., Cape Cod, 5 25
Chelsea, 1st Cong. ch., Cora L. Templeton, 5; R. Y. Russell, 150, 155 00
Chesterfield, Cong. ch., Clark B. Adams, 18 00
Chicopee, 1st Cong. ch., Rev. Samuel Rose, 5; Sarah Z. Pease, 10, 15 00
Chicopee Falls, 2d Cong. ch., of which 5 from F. W. Combs, 57 09
Clinton, 1st Cong. ch., Ephraim McRell, 1; E. P. Sawtell, 5, 6 00
Cohasset, 2d Cong. ch. 36 69
Colrain, Cong. ch., Lorenzo Griswold, 5 00
Concord, Benjamin Moody, 5 00
Conway, Mrs. S. H. Clary, 2 00
Dalton, 1st Cong. ch. 900 00
Danvers, Maple-st. Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. W. B. Carleton, Jr. 430 00
Deerfield, Lucy E. Childs, 1 50
Dennis, Union Cong. ch., Mrs. Hannah E. Sylvan, 5 00
Dighton, Cong. ch., Mrs. Sarah J. Briggs, 1 75
Douglas, 1st Cong. ch. 25 00
Dover, Cong. ch. 13 00
Dunstable, Mrs. Lizzie A. Swallow, 5 00
Duxbury, Pilgrim Cong. ch. 70 00
East Bridgewater, Union Cong. ch., Friend, 10; Mrs. Arthur Leland, 2, 12 00
East Douglas, 2d Cong. ch., 33; Rev. and Mrs. V. H. Deming, 1; Friends, 5, 39 00
East Longmeadow, Edward S. Ellis, 10 00
East Northfield, Trinitarian Cong. ch., of which 550 toward support W. C. Atkins, 7 from M. E. H., and 3 from A. L. H., 560; Mrs. Mary L. Houghton, 10; Adele Greene, 10, 580 00
East Pepperell, John W. Pierce, 1 00
Edgartown, Cong. ch. 12 00
Enfield, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Rev. Geo. R. Hewitt, 125 from Marion A. Smith, and 25 from Friend, 155; Mrs. Henry M. Smith, 100; Mrs. Jennie C. Brown, 5, 260 00
Essex, Joseph W. Bacon, 25 00
Everett, Mystic Side Cong. ch., Rev. A. M. Parker, 25 00
Fall River, Central Cong. ch., of which 25 from Frank A. Pease, 20 from Mrs. Richard B. Borden, 10 from Benj. B. Earl, and 10 from Mrs. A. N. Lincoln, 65; 1st Cong. ch., of which 20 from Rev. Payson W. Lyman, 10 from Mrs. Robert A. Wilcox, and 5 from Eunice A. Lyman, 35; Anna H. Borden, 200; Carrie L. Borden, 200; Mrs. Annie B. Jennings, 100; N. Eveline Buck, 5, 605 00
Falmouth, Mrs. Elijah Swift, 50; Wm. C. Davis, 5, 55 00
Feeding Hills, Cong. ch. 9 00
Fitchburg, Rollstone Cong. ch., Martha S. H. Wright, 5; F. Fosdick, 10; Mary E. Cutler, 1; Friend, 1, 17 00
Foxboro, Annie E. Hitchcock, 2; Friend, 5, 7 00
Framingham, Plymouth Cong. ch., of which 100 from John H. Temple, 50 from Geo. D. Bigelow, 50 from E. H. Bigelow, 25 from A. K. Stone, and 5 from Myra Davis, 305; Grace Cong. ch., Laura R. Hardy, 2; Elizabeth S. Lane, 5, 312 00
Gardner, Cong. ch., Frances E. Haynes, 5; W. W. Tandy, 25, 30 00
Gloucester, Trinity Cong. ch., of which 50 from Martha A. Brooks and 30 from Charlotte A. Lathrop, 80 00
Grafton, Cong. ch. 99 00
Granby, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. W. F. Forward, 22 87
Granville, 1st Cong. ch. 12 00
Great Barrington, 1st Cong. ch., Chas. E. Platt, 6 00
Greenfield, 2d Cong. ch., of which 125 toward support Rev. A. F. Christofersen and 5 from Walter S. and Nellie K. Fitch, 160; Mark Bullard, 10; D. F. Hamilton, 10; Mrs. Roxana Fellows, 2, 182 00
Groton, Union Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mary F. Warner and 3 from Marshall Swallow, 13; Henry H. Gay, 5, 18 00
Hampden, Cong. ch., Mrs. S. D. Beebe, 5 00
Harvard, Cong. ch. 11 00
Harwich, 1st Cong. ch. 3 00

Haverhill, North Cong. ch., 140; Riverside Memorial Cong. ch., 15; Myron A. Nichols, 25; Esther E. Morrison, in memory of Edith A. Morrison, 18; Marcellus E. Parker, 10; Abbie E. Welch, 1; Harriet F. Welch, 1, 210 00
Heath, Union Evan. Cong. ch. 45 00
Hingham, J. Wilmon Brewer, 20; Mrs. A. L. Fanning, 10, 30 00
Holden, Cong. ch. 69 16
Holliston, 1st Cong. ch., Sarah B. Hobart, 10; Abbie F. Daniels, 1, 11 00
Holyoke, 2d Cong. ch., Edward C. Purrington, 10; Nathan P. Avery, 5; K. T. Chapin, 5; E. W. Chapin, 5, 25 00
Hopedale, W. A. Clifford, 2 00
Hopkinton, Willard M. Brown, 2 00
Huntington, 2d Cong. ch. 25 00
Interlaken, Cong. ch. 55 00
Lakeville and Taunton Precinct, Cong. ch., 50; "Paull," 50, 100 00
Lancaster, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. Elizabeth M. Pope and 5 from B. F. Wyman, 15; Caroline E. Russell, 15; Miss K. M. Marvin, 5; Mary A. Marvin, 2.50, 37 50
Lanesville, William L. Saunders, 2 00
Lawrence, Wilbur E. Rowell, 10; Annie K. Wyman, 5; C. Wallace Abbott, 5, 20 00
Lee, Cong. ch., X. Y. Z., 5; Grace L. Gibbs, 10; William May, 10; Mrs. Alice G. Michels, 5; Friend, 200, 230 00
Lenox Dale, Carrie C. Sedgwick, 15 00
Leominster, Sidney E. Bell, 5; Eliza A. H. Grassie, 5; Lucy E. Shedd, 2, 12 00
Lexington, Hancock Cong. ch., Friend, 10; Emma O. Nichols, 5, 15 00
Lincoln, Cong. ch., Geo. Farrar, 11; Mrs. E. M. Barrett, 5; Mrs. Ellen G. Trask, 2, 18 00
Littleton, Cong. ch., Mrs. Adelia M. Parker, 5 00
Longmeadow, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. Annie C. Leete and 20 from Friend, 25; Lilla M. Harmon, 5, 30 00
Lowell, 1st Cong. ch., Joseph W. Griffin and Amasa Pratt, 150; Highland Cong. ch., of which 10 from Helen Buttrick, 59.50; Eliot Union Cong. ch., of which 15 from A. K. Whitcomb, 5 from Sarah J. Gilman, and 1 from Alvin E. Sykes, 21; Pawtucket Cong. ch., C. A. Richardson, 10; Albert W. Crocker, 25; W. H. G. Wight, 25; Thomas Snell, 20; Julia E. Ward, 2, 312 50
Ludlow, Mrs. S. E. Jones, 5 00
Lunenburg, Cong. ch. 35 00
Lynnfield Center, Cong. ch., of which 3 from Nathaniel Ross, 11 25
Malden, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from G. A. Matthews and 10 from Arthur T. Tufts, 20; Mabel P. Brown, 10, 30 00
Marblehead, 1st Cong. ch., 71.70; Mrs. J. J. H. Gregory, 20, 91 70
Marlboro, Mrs. Richard M. Hall, 5 00
Marshfield, 1st Cong. ch., Mary I. Stetson, 1 00
Maynard, Union Cong. ch., 30; Ethel R. Butterworth, 5, 35 00
Medford, E. Josephine Wilcox, 50 00
Melrose, Elisabeth F. Abbe, 100 00
Melrose Highlands, Cong. ch., Mrs. W. H. Loring, 5; "Melrose," 10, 15 00
Middleboro, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Mrs. Albert Deane, 83; W. Osgood Eddy, 1, 84 00
Middlefield, Cong. ch., Stephen Fliss, 1 00
Millers Falls, Cong. ch. 7 00
Millis, ch. of Christ, Sidney W. Choate, 3; Chas. E. Enegren, 100, 103 00
Milton, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Herbert B. Tucker, 25 from Mrs. H. B. Tucker, and 5 from Howard T. Smith, 55; East Cong. ch., 47.95; Ellsworth Huntington, 20; Mark McCully, 15, 137 95
Mittineague, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. Minerva R. Tubbs, 5 from H. A. Goodwin, and 1 from Mary K. Wells, 11 00
Monson, Cong. ch., Friend, 10; Miss M. A. Walker, 3, 13 00
Montello, Mrs. Esther G. Gifford, 1 00
Mt. Hermon, Wm. F. Nichols, 100 00
Myricks, Friend, 50 00
Natick, Florence Bigelow, 100; Bertha L. Randall, 5; Mrs. W. A. Chapin, 5; A. G. Brewer, 5, 115 00
Needham Heights, Friend, 10 00
New Bedford, North Cong. ch., of which 5 from A. W. and W. J. Tilton and 15 from Friends, 20; Sarah E. Seabury, 100, 120 00
Newbury, 1st Cong. ch. 21 29
Newburyport, Central Cong. ch., of which 35 from C. F. and Miss C. M. Smith, and 30 from Mrs. Horace Plumer, toward support Dr. E. L. Bliss, 65; Belleville Cong. ch., 57; Clara A. Bliss, 20, 142 00
New Salem, Mrs. Samuel W. Hook, 5 00
Newton, Eliot Cong. ch., Mary Lewis Speare, 30; North Cong. ch., Friend, 5; John A. Gilman, 10; Mary W. Calkins, 7.50; Mrs. H. P. Kenway, 5; Mrs. Wolcott Calkins, 5; Mrs. W. B. Closson, 5, 67 50
Newton Center, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Mrs. Chas. C. Burr, 325; John Y. Mainland, 10; Herbert J. Kellaway, 5; Emily W. Tyler, 5; Hetty S. B. Walley, 5, 350 00
Newton Highlands, Cong. ch., Alberta J. Crombie, 25 00
Newtonville, Central Cong. ch., for Shansi, 350; do., of which 50 from Mr. and Mrs. Henry V. Jones, 50 from Fred W. Rust, and 10 from Percy G. Stiles, 110; Geo. A. Eddy, for Mt. Silinda, 100; Mrs. Nellie A. Rust, 100; F. C. Perry, 10, 670 00
Norfolk, Union Cong. ch., Wm. E. Mann, 20 00
Northampton, Edwards Cong. ch., of which 25 from Ellen P. Cook, 10 from Miss C. P. Bodman, 5 from Mary B. Fuller, and 5 from H., 353.25; 1st Cong. ch., Richard H. Clapp, 5; Thomas A. Emerson, 5; Lucie J. Loud, 2; M. C., 25; M. M. W., 10; Friend, 15; Friend, 10, 425 25
North Attleboro, Lillian G. Mandalian, 4 50
North Billerica, Mrs. Elvira R. Gould, 30 00
Northboro, Cong. ch., 87.45; Cora Small, 50; Esther E. Allen, 1, 138 45
North Brookfield, 1st Cong. ch., 150.50; H. W. Bemis, 2, 152 50
North Chelmsford, Cong. ch., Alfred F. Freese, 5 00
North Reading, Union ch. 9 49
North Wilmington, Mrs. Elizabeth S. R. Page, 1 00
Norwood, 1st Cong. ch. 632 00
Oakham, Cong. ch., of which 2 from Ellsworth Wright, 24 50
Orange, Central Cong. ch., of which 5 from Florence M. Bass, 155; D. M. Moore, 1, 156 00
Otis, Cong. ch., of which 20 from R. R. R. and 5 from Philip H. Richmond, 25 00
Oxford, 1st Cong. ch., Rev. Clair F. Luther, 5 00
Peabody, C. W. Gardner, 5 00
Petersham, Cong. ch., of which 100 from Mrs. Anna D. MacNutt and 200 from E. B. D. 300 00
Pittsfield, 1st ch. of Christ, of which 250 from Wm. H. Swift, 20 from Mrs. Anna T. Paddock, 5 from Elizabeth D. Davis, 2 from S. Elizabeth Barker, 2 from Mabel I. Mills, and 25 from Friend, 304; Wm. L. Adam, 100; Mrs. Cornelia H. Collins, 25; Harriet Harding, 5; Mary E. Goodrich, 1, 435 00
Plymouth, ch. of the Pilgrimage, of which 10 from Catherine Morton, 10 from Asa H. Burgess, 5 from Carrie L. Bachelder, and 5 from Mrs. Edwin L. Edes, 30; Carrie A. Hall, 5; Mrs. Mary E. Smith, 5, 40 00
Princeton, Cong. ch., Susan A. Davis, 5 00
Provincetown, ch. of the Pilgrims, 50 00
Quincy, Bethany Cong. ch., of which 5 from Rev. Edward Norton and 5 from Mrs. A. L. Melcher, 88.77; Memorial Cong. ch. (Atlantic), W. F. Cummings, 10; Richard D. Chase, 100; Friend, 10, 208 77
Reading, 1st Cong. ch., Clara E. Bancroft, 5; C. F. Ranney, 10, 15 00
Revere, Trinity Cong. ch. (Beachmont), 25 00
Richmond, Cong. ch., 132; Rev. Wm. M. Crane, toward support Rev. E. L. Nolting,

166.67, 298 67
Rochester, North Cong. ch., Geo. H. Randall, 2; Friend, 2, 4 00
Rowley, Mary F. Brown, 5 00
Royalston, 1st Cong. ch. 10 05
Rutland, Cong. ch., of which 2 from Mrs. Mary Y. Upham, 43 58
Salem, South Cong. ch., 8.18; W. K. Bigelow, 100; Ellen Parker, 10; Ella C. Ball, 10; Friend, 100, 228 18
Sharon, 1st Cong. ch., of which 8.75 from Rev. J. B. Lyman, 10 from Harold I. Long, for work in India, and 7.50 from Nathan W. Littlefield, Jr., 26.25; Friend, 50, 76 25
Sheffield, Cong. ch., of which 2 from Bertha A. Holmes, 77 90
Shelburne, Jennie P. Stone, 1 00
Sherburne Falls, Cong. ch., Electa P. Stratton, 15 00
Shirley, Cong. ch., E. N. Livermore, for Shaowu, 15 00
Shrewsbury, Alfred H. Knight, 50; Mrs. Herbert A. Cook, 10, 60 00
Shutesbury, Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hunting, 10 00
Somerville, Rev. F. A. Everett, 4.25; Chas. Evans, 40, 44 25
Southampton, Cong. ch., of which 25 from "C. C." 126 00
South Ashburnham, People's Cong. ch. 27 06
South Attleboro, Friend, 5 00
South Dartmouth, Cong. ch. 41 25
South Easton, Cong. ch., H. Y. Mitchell, 1 00
South Hadley, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Bertha E. Blakely, 10 from Clara F. Stevens, 5 from Louise F. Cowles, and 3 from Hannah Noble, 28; M. A. Chase, 10; Anne S. Young, 10; Mary E. Woolley, 5; Anna C. Edwards, 1, 54 00
South Weymouth, Old South Union Cong. ch., Friend, 5 00
Spencer, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Mrs. Sybil A. Temple and 2 from Chas. L. Dickinson, 27 00
Springfield, 1st ch. of Christ, of which 10 from Mrs. Julius W. Brown and 1 from Nellie R. Swift, 133.84; Faith Cong. ch., of which 15 from Daniel M. Wheeler, 115; Park Cong. ch., of which 30 from Zettie E. Lane and 2 from Eunice M. Bates, 32; North Cong. ch., of which 8 from Anna M. Johnson, 5 from Alice Shepard, and 5 from Friend, 18; South Cong. ch., Carrie L. King, 5; Rev. Geo. W. Banks, 5; Mrs. Isabel D. Allen, 100; Ida C. Flagg, 10; Elizabeth S. Hawkes, 10; Susan E. Cowl, 5; Mary E. Clark, 5; Mrs. D. W. Goodale, 5; Mrs. Arthur E. Burt, 1; Friend, 20, 464 84
Stockbridge, Cong. ch., M. Adele Brewer, 35 00
Stoneham, 1st Cong. ch. 246 51
Sturbridge, Cong. ch., Friend, 10 00
Swampscott, John Albree, 10 00
Taunton, Trinitarian Cong. ch., 123.75; Winslow Cong. ch., Herbert B. Willis, 5; Emily S. Shepard, 5; Mrs. Susan J. Bullock, 2, 135 75
Tewksbury, Cong. ch., Mrs. O. H. Nichols, 5 00
Three Rivers, Osmond J. Billings, 25 00
Topsfield, Cong. ch., of which 25 from A. H. Wellman, 125; I. H. Sawyer, 5, 130 00
Townsend, Cong. ch., G. L. Whitcomb, 10 00
Turner's Falls, H. B. Crouse, 1 00
Upton, 1st Cong. ch. 25 00
Vineyard Haven, Madison Edwards, 20; Octavia W. Mathews, 5, 25 00
Wakefield, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from Chas. E. Montague and 5 from O. A. Parker, 185; William F. Slocum, 25, 210 00
Waltham, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Pryor Fulton, 10; Rev. C. W. Huntington, 10; Mary F. Smith, 15; Mrs. Nellie M. Foster, 10; Mary A. Cummings, 1; Mrs. Sarah B. Warren, 1, 47 00
Ware, 1st Cong. ch., 16.50; East Cong. ch., Harriet E. Breckenridge, 10; Henry K. Hyde, 15; Miss M. A. Barlow, 1, 42 50
Wareham, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Rev. and Mrs. Herbert W. Boyd, 2 from Harriet E. Smith, and 1 from Laurence H. Boyd, 77 00
Warwick, Trinitarian Cong. ch., Rev N. R. Nichols, 3 00
Watertown, Franklin De Meritt, 15; Miss A. J. Critchett, 8; Mrs. M. Prior, 5, 28 00
Waverley, 1st Cong. ch., Grace C. Foss, 2 00
Wayland, Cong. ch., Mrs. L. K. Lovell, 5 00
Webster, 1st Cong. ch., of which 100 from Anna L. Perry and 50 from Evelyn K. Stockwell, 150; Evelyn M. Hastings, 25, 175 00
Wellesley, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Leah B. Allen and 10 from Adelaide I. Locke, 20; Lucy T. Winsor, 3, 23 00
Wellesley Hills, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Rev. J. B. Seabury and 10 from Carolyn J. Peck, 220; Mrs. Samuel B. Green, 5, 225 00
Wellfleet, Betsey R. Freeman, 10 00
Wendell, Cong. ch. 12 85
Westboro, Cong. ch., Lucy G. Pond, 6 00
West Boxford, The Misses Park, 15 00
West Boylston, Mrs. Emily W. Parker, 5 00
West Brookfield, Cong. ch., Mary J. Holt, 10 00
Westfield, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. Martha H. Reed and 10 from Geo. W. Miner, 138 98
Westhampton, Cong. ch. 54 00
West Medford, Friend, 10 00
West Medway, Rev. John C. Labaree, 5; Mrs. Frances L. Knowlton, 5; N. M. Hitchcock, 5, 15 00
Westminster, Mrs. Sarah E. and Lillia G. Drury, 4 00
West Newbury, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. G. S. Goodrich and 3 from Mary A. Ridgway, 8 00
West Newton, 2d Cong. ch., E. A. Marsh, 10; Sarah L. Dix, 5, 15 00
West Peabody, Edward E. White, 10 00
West Quincy, Thomas Ojala, for Mt. Silinda, 30 00
West Springfield, 1st Cong. ch., of which 200 from Ethan Brooks and 5 from Addison H. Smith, 205; Ruth E. Sanderson, 10, 215 00
West Stockbridge, 1st Cong. ch. 5 00
Weymouth, Old South Union Cong. ch. 100 00
Whitinsville, Village Cong. ch., 1,815; Arthur F. Whitin, 1,000; Miss A. L. Whitin, 60; Miss I. V. Hammond, 20, 2,895 00
Whitman, Cong. ch., Friend, 2 00
Wilbraham, Federated Cong. ch., Elizabeth P. Whiting, 2; Sarah F. Whiting, 5, 7 00
Williamstown, 1st Cong. ch., of which 150 from Rev. John H. Denison, 50 from Mrs. Wm. H. Doughty, 20 from Mrs. John De Peu, and 5 from Grace Perry, 225; ch. of Christ, White Oaks, 11.55; Rev. William R. Stocking, 7, 243 55
Wilmington, Cong. ch. 25 00
Winchendon, North Cong. ch., of which 50 from Warren H. Prichard, 21 from Emily R. Pitkin and Sisters, 10 from Mrs. L. I. Hall, and 5 from Mrs. Wendell Clark, 86; 1st Cong. ch., Estate Geo. Cummings, 35, 121 00
Winchester, 1st Cong. ch., of which 257.50 interest on legacy of D. N. Skillings and 10 from Miss M. B. Joy, 267.50; Henry C. Ordway, 10; Helen A. Pressey, 2, 279 50
Woburn, 1st Cong. ch., of which 1 from Emma F. Fowle, 501; Mrs. Stephen A. Norton, 100; Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Boutelle, 2, 603 00
Worcester, Old South Cong. ch., of which 600 toward support Rev. C. B. Olds, 50 from Clarke Earle, 5 from William D. Spear, 5 from M. Rosalie Goddard, and 5 from Member, 665; Central Cong. ch., toward support Rev. R. A. Hume, 511; Hope Cong. ch., of which 5 from A. E. Jewell and 5 from M. Gertrude Jones, 92.50; Bethany Cong. ch., 40; Pilgrim Cong. ch., of which 25 from Mrs. L. A. Fales and 5 from Mrs. G. N. Palser, 30; Hadwen Park Cong. ch., 19.24; Plymouth Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Mann, 15; Adams Square Cong. ch., Jennie L. Putnam, 5; Union Cong. ch., Mrs.

John L. Day, 5; Lake View Cong. ch., Friend, 2; Mrs. Eliza J. Brittain, 20; Anna T. Kelley, 10; Henry Lovell, 10; Howard K. Hobbs, 5; H. Edwin Green, 2; Friend, 6; In memoriam E. P. S. and J. E. S., 5, 1,442 74
Wrentham, Murray Winter, 10 00
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Arlington, Mrs. Emily S. Babcock, 5 00
Cranston, Edgewood Cong. ch., Rev. M. Raymond Plumb, 10 00
Newport, United Cong. ch., of which 20 from Horatio B. Wood and 2 from Eliza E. Simmons, 22 00
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Phenix, H. M. Clarke, 5 00
Providence, Central Cong. ch., Mrs. John W. Danielson, 100; Plymouth Cong. ch., Herbert J. Humphrey, 10; Union Cong. ch., L., 10; Rev. and Mrs. R. D. Frost, 10; Sarah T. Carpenter, 20; Mary E. Salisbury, 10; D. T. Torrey, 5; Frances M. Wheeler, 2, 167 00
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Avon, Rev. J. W. Moulton, 5 00
Berlin, 2d Cong. ch., Friend, 10; Mrs. J. B. Smith, 25; Friend, 5, 40 00
Bethany, F. H. Brown, 5 00
Bloomfield, 1st Cong. ch., 43; Fred Major, 2.50, 45 50
Bolton, Cong. ch. 20 00
Bozrah, Cong. ch. 15 00
Branford, H. E. Thatcher, 10 00
Bridgeport, United Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. J. H. Van Tassel, 5 from Emma F. Eames, 1 from Mrs. E. Burr, and 50 from "C. B. R.," 66; Olivet Cong. ch., 40; Park-st. Cong. ch., C. M. Bassett, 10; Mrs. Egbert Marsh, 10; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Smith, 5, 131 00
Bridgewater, Friends, 100 00
Bristol, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. C. F. Barnes, 25; John T. Chidsey, 10, 35 00
Buckland, C. J. Dewey, 1 00
Burlington, Cong. ch. 61 00
Center Brook, Mrs. Amelia A. Kelsey, 10 00
Cheshire, Cong. ch., Lillian N. and E. J. Stoddard, 15 00
Chester, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. Louise M. Smith and 5 from Mary C. Ely, 15 00
Colchester, 1st Cong. ch., of which 2 from Abby G. Willard, 95.65; A. A. Baker, 10, 105 65
Colebrook, Cong. ch., 7; Miss S. Carrington, 10, 17 00
Collinsville, Fritz G. Lofgren, 2; Mary Keith Warren, 1.50, 3 50
Columbia, Amelia J. Fuller, 10; Friend, 10, 20 00
Cornwall, 2d Cong. ch., to constitute *Samuel R. Scoville*, H. M. 100 00
Coventry, 2d Cong. ch., of which 5 from W. F. Pitkin, 16 00
Danbury, John L. Knapp, 2 00
Danielson, Westfield Cong. ch., Geo. B. Guild, 5; Frederick A. Jacobs, 10, 15 00
Derby, William S. Browne, 5 00
Eastford, Cong. ch. 34 53
East Haddam, 1st Cong. ch. 11 61
East Hartford, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Edw. A. Williams, 84 92
East Haven, Cong. ch., Chas. W. Holbrook, 50 00
East Woodstock, Cong. ch., 58; G. L. Upham, 2, 60 00
Elmwood, Miss J. L. Faxon, 3 00
Essex, Cong. ch. 5 00
Falls Village, Hattie M. Millard, 2 00
Franklin, Cong. ch., Ella I. Smith, 5 00
Gilead, Cong. ch., John E. Ellis, 10 00
Goshen (Lebanon), Cong. ch., of which 5 from Annie Gillett, 29 00
Granby, Cong. ch., F. B. M. 5 00
Green's Farms, Cong. ch., J. Darwin Bourger, 5 00
Greenwich, Stanwich Cong. ch., 6; North Cong. ch., Mrs. N. A. Knapp, 3, 9 00
Griswold, 1st Cong. ch. 20 00
Groton, 1st Cong. ch., Rachel Larrabee, 50; Elizabeth M. Avery, 5, 55 00
Guilford, 1st Cong. ch., of which 3 from Friend, 156.49; Anna E. Cruttenden, 1, 157 49
Hartford, Center Cong. ch., Friend, 100; Asylum Hill Cong. ch., Ellen G. Means and Alice L. Means, 25; 4th Cong. ch., C. B. Andrews, 25; Immanuel Cong. ch., Anna H. Andrews, for work among Armenians, 10; Mrs. Olcott B. Colton, 100; Waldo S. Pratt, 25; Lilla M. Burt, 10; Caroline Hansell, for work in the Philippines, 10; Grace C. Strong, 10; Charlotte Tyler, 10; Mrs. H. S. Collins, 5; Mrs. Geo. F. Hills, 5; Margaret L. Knapp, 5; Mary C. Knapp, 5; Ada M. Stearns, 5; Friends, 125; Friend, 1, 476 00
Kensington, Cong. ch., Thos. W. Emerson, 25 00
Kent, Mary A. Hopson, 10; Henry A. Blake, 5, 15 00
Litchfield, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from Cornelia B. Smith, 223.21; Mr. and Mrs. John Lindlex, 5, 228 21
Madison, Helen S. Marsh, 1; Friend, 10, 11 00
Manchester, 2d Cong. ch. 140 00
Mansfield Center, Chas. H. Learned, 5 00
Meriden, Mrs. A. E. Paterson, 5 00
Middletown, 1st ch. of Christ, of which 10 from Friend, 5 from Friend, and 1 from Friend, 97.91; James H. Bunce, 50, 147 91
Mystic, Cong. ch. 98 82
Naugatuck, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Anna H. De Voir, 5; Gertrude B. Whittemore, 1,000, 1,005 00
New Britain, 1st ch. of Christ, 1,000; South Cong. ch., of which 10 from Caroline E. Bartlett, 10 from Elford B. Eddy, and 10 from Friend, 50; Mrs. D. O. Rogers,

100; B. B. Bassette, 10; Mrs. W. H. Stanley, 10; Mrs. Marcus White, 10; Mrs. H. W. Burns, 2; Mrs. L. A. Simmons, 1, 1,183 00
New Canaan, Mrs. Walter C. Wood, 5 00
New Haven, United Cong. ch., of which 800 for work of Rev. R. A. Hume, 100 from C. E. P. Sanford, 10 from Mary B. Bristol, and 5 from Miss A. P. Bradley, 915; Dwight Place Cong. ch., of which 300 toward support Rev. Wm. R. Leete and 5 from Mary E. Andrew, 305; Center Cong. ch., of which 25 from Friend and 5 from Friend, 30; Plymouth Cong. ch., Alice F. Stillson, 25; Humphrey-st. Cong. ch., Edward E. Mix, 10; ch. of the Redeemer, Frederick Chatfield, 5; Miss L. W. Heermance, 25; J. M. Atwater, 10; S. A. Gardner, 10; Edith Woolsey, 10; John S. Bradley, 5; Ada S. Hotchkiss, 5; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kitchel, 5; Katherine Hume Miller, 5; Harriet W. Hough, 1; Friend, 25; Friend, 5, 1,396 00
Newington, Cong. ch., of which 81.83 toward support Rev. J. C. Holmes, 10 from Agnes W. Belden, 10 from Julia M. Belden, and 2 from Norman P. Camp, 103 83
New London, 1st Cong. ch., of which 75 from Member and 5 from Member, 80; Friend, 50, 130 00
New Milford, Ann E. Bostwick, 100; Emily L. Johnson, 5; Emeline Goode, 1, 106 00
New Preston, Cong. ch. 47 00
North Guilford, Cong. ch., Amy Fowler, 10 00
North Haven, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Annie M. Reynolds and 3 from the Misses E. B. and R. Smith, 13; W. A. Hyde, 10, 23 00
North Madison, Cong. ch., Friend, 5; Rev. Louis F. Burgess, 2, 7 00
Norwalk, Melville E. Mead & Son, 10 00
Norwich, United Cong. ch., of which 500 from Misses Norton, 653.27; Park Cong. ch., of which 100 from Mrs. H. H. Osgood and 20 from Sarah L. Huntington, 434.08; 1st Cong. ch., Susan C. Hyde, 1; Amelia H. Dimock, 10; Lucius B. Morgan, 5; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Yerrington, 2; Ida E. Sutherland, 1, 1,106 35
Old Lyme, Cong. ch. 27 08
Plainfield, 1st Cong. ch. 10 03
Plainville, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. H., 10; Mrs. Chas. H. Calor, 5, 15 00
Poquonock, Cong. ch. 20 00
Portland, Sarah J. Case, 2 00
Putnam, 2d Cong. ch., of which 61.27 toward support Dr. H. N. Kinnear and 5 from Grace A. Child, 66 27
Rockville, Union Cong. ch., of which 50 from Geo. B. Hammond, 709; Chas. P. Redfield, 5; Mrs. W. B. Thrall, 2; E. A. Waltz, 2; Friend, 5; Friend, 1, 724 00
Salem, Cong. ch., Ellen E. Fox, 100 00
Salisbury, ch. of Christ, 83 46
Seymour, Cong. ch., E. W. Davis, 5; Ursula E. Benedict, 10, 15 00
Shelton, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. O. G. Beard, 151 00
Somersville, Cong. ch., of which 1 from Rev. David L. Kebbe, 26 94
South Britain, Cong. ch., Rev. C. L. Tomblen, of which 25 for native preacher in Africa and 25 for native preacher in Micronesia, 50 00
South Glastonbury, Cong. ch., B. Fred Grant, 10 00
Southington, J. F. Pratt, 2; Mrs. Anna E. Merriman, 1, 3 00
South Manchester, Center Cong. ch., Emil L. G. Hohenthal, 5; Louise L. Bartlett, 15; Margaret W. Bartlett, 5, 25 00
South Norwalk, Cong. ch., Miss E. G. Platt, 10; Geo. E. Thompson, 1, 11 00
South Windsor, 2d Cong. ch., 28; 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Miss M. J. Elmore and 5 from Miss M. E. Porter, 15, 43 00
Stamford, Friend, 5 00
Stonington, 2d Cong. ch., Mrs. Dwight C. Stone, 5 00
Stratford, Cong. ch., Alice C. Judson, 5; Friend, 500, 505 00
Talcottville, Cong. ch., for excess exchange on salary Mrs. E. H. Smith, 100; John G. Talcott, 500; Mrs. C. D. Talcott, Sr., 100; Friend, toward support Rev. John X. Miller, 1,000, 1,700 00
Terryville, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. Katharine A. Gaylord and 5 from Ruth K. Gaylord, 15; Two Friends, 20, 35 00
Thomaston, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Sarah M. Bradstreet, 5 00
Torringford, Cong. ch. 11 00
Torrington, Center Cong. ch., of which 25 from Bertha G. Temple and 5 from Friend, 280; A. J. Knight, 1, 281 00
Unionville, Mrs. Frances A. Richards, 100 00
Wallingford, Cong. ch., Cash, 100 00
Washington, 1st Cong. ch. 98 86
Waterbury, 1st Cong. ch., of which 15 from Rev. H. D. Gallaudet, 10 from Mrs. Margaret S. Hamilton, 2 from Mrs. Marion J. Willard, and 5 from Member, 32; 3d Cong. ch., William Broughton, 5; Sara D. Smith, 10; Mrs. Fannie M. Clark, 5; Frederick B. Webster, 5; Alice E. Thomas, 3, 60 00
Westford, Cong. ch., for Austria, 4 70
West Hartford, Cong. ch., of which 50 from Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Selden and family, in memory of Laura W. Mills Selden, 25 from Mrs. C. M. Geer, 15 from Eveline M. Barker, and 5 from Mrs. Susan F. Goodwin, 324; W. Wallace Thomson, 25, 349 00
West Haven, Chas. D. Phelps, 5 00
Westport, Saugatuck Cong. ch., Edward D. Merriman, 10; W. H. Cooley, 10; Friend, 5, 25 00
Westville, Mrs. Geo. F. Jones, 1 00
Wethersfield, Cong. ch., of which 258 toward support Rev. J. J. Banninga and 20 from Friends, 278; Rev. and Mrs. John Barstow, 10; Mrs. Augusta E. Deming, 3; Victor and Mrs. Harnish, 3, 294 00
Willimantic, A. J. Bowen, 2; J. S. Harroun, 1; Geo. S. Elliott, 1; Friend, 25, 29 00
Wilson, ch. of Christ, Friend, 7.50; Rev. E. C. Lane, 10, 17 50
Windsor, Cong. ch., of which 1 from Edwin S. Smith, 23.25; F. V. Mills, 12, 35 25
Windsor Locks, Cong. ch. 157 00
Winsted, 1st Cong. ch., Friend, 20; Edith C. Hine, 3; Friend, 3, 26 00
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———, Friend, 60 00
———, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. F. 10 00

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New York

Albany, 1st Cong. ch., Harlan P. French, 25; Mrs. S. P. Deane, 5; J. C. Laing, 5, 35 00
Amsterdam, Friend, 5 00
Aquebogue, Cong. ch., Nellie W. Young, 10; Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Woolworth, 25; Ada Davis, 5; Forward, 25, 65 00
Bedford Hills, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Minns, 20 00
Berkshire, Cong. ch. 25 00
Binghamton, Mrs. S. F. Jaques, 5 00
Blooming Grove, Cong. ch., Marcus C. Sears, 5 00
Brooklyn, ch. of the Evangel, 45; Lewis-av. Cong. ch., of which 15 from John C. Henry and 2 from R. K. Barlow, 17; Mrs. H. C. Folger, of which 50 for work among Armenians, 100; Mrs. Gilbert C. Halsted, 10; Miss F. D. Fish, 10; Mrs. Z. R. Dowie, 10; Byron Horton, 10; Helen Safford, 5; Annie W. Safford, 5; Elijah R. Kennedy, 5; Miss M. L. Stowell, 5; Phebe D. Briggs, 3; Miss I. Brown, 2; Chas. A. Clark, 2; "E. C.," 10; "G. C.," 5; Friend, 25, 269 00
Buffalo, Plymouth Cong. ch., Lewis G. Rogers, 25; 1st Cong. ch., Frances May Gregory, 10; Howard Winship, 10; Miss M. O. Wood, 5, 50 00

Canandaigua, Mrs. Harriote E. Lee, 10; Mrs. A. G. Coleman, 5; J. C. Batchelor, 2, 17 00
Carthage, Mrs. Sarah L. Woodin, 1 00
Catskill, Mrs. Chas. E. Willard, 10 00
Central Square, W. T. Webber, 5 00
Chautauqua, Mary L. Marden, 5 00
Clifton Springs, Alice T. Thayer, of which 50 for Shaowu and 17.82 in memory of Mrs. Edward S. Hume, 167.82; Joseph A. Sanders, 50; Mrs. Lewis Bodwell, 25; Mrs. F. M. Eddy, 3, 245 82
Clinton, Rev. A. H. Post, 2; Mary A. Post, 3, 5 00
Cortland, Jennie M. Harris, 7 00
Crown Point, 1st Cong. ch., Celeste B. Murdock, 5 00
Deansboro, Cong. ch. 6 00
DeRuyter, Rev. Arthur M. Wood, 10 00
East Bloomfield, Mrs. S. H. Hollister, 10 00
East Hampton, Mrs. Frank S. Stratton, 5 00
Elbridge, 1st Cong. ch. 35 00
Ellenville, Friend, 1 00
Fairport, A. M. Loomis, 10 00
Flushing, Broadway Cong. ch., Annie Ross, 5; 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Edw. C. Hood, 3, 8 00
Franklin, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. Julia A. Hoag, 63 68
Gaines, Cong. ch. 53 00
Gloversville, Cong. ch., for educational work in Mindanao, 215 00
Gouverneur, Helena G. Brodie, 5 00
Hamburg, Mrs. R. S. Helman, 12 00
Henrietta, Union Cong. ch., 20; Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Armstrong, 10, 30 00
Holland Patent, Welsh Cong. ch. 5 00
Homer, 1st Cong. ch. 100 00
Honeoye, Cong. ch. 25 20
Jamaica, James A. Towle, 2 00
Jamestown, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. H. C. Marvin, 301.78; Mrs. Elliot C. Hall, 500; Adella G. Underwood, 5, 806 78
Keuka Park, Rev. Albert S. Wood, 5 00
Kingston, Mrs. Harriet S. Fitch, 10 00
Lake Mohonk, Lavinia F. Kidder, 10 00
Little Valley, Rev. Kingsley F. Norris, 5 00
Lockport, Elijah Ferguson, 10 00
Middletown, Chas. J. Everson, 25 00
Morrisville, Cong. ch. 11 00
Mt. Sinai, Cong. ch., Martha H. Miller, 1 00
Mt. Vernon, 1st Cong. ch., of which 200 for Foochow and 15.20 from Member, for work in Armenia, 215.20; Heights Cong. ch., of which 97 from Women's Missionary Circle and 25 from Mrs. F. R. Hill, for Turkey, 122, 337 20
Munnsville, Friends, 10 00
Newburgh, Mary T. Galpin, 1 00
New York, Broadway Tabernacle, of which 25 from William W. J. Warren, 10 from Grace Lyman, and 10 from Grace Clark Straight, 45; Forest-av. Cong. ch., Ladies, 25; Manhattan Cong. ch., Mrs. A. S. Denis, 15; Rev. John Luther Kilbon, 25; William H. Nichols, 1,000; Edwin H. Baker, 200; E. E. Dwight, 100; Grace A. Taylor, 100; Mary M. Bailey, 20; Rev. and Mrs. Frank K. Sanders, 20; Robert L. W. Ensley, 15; Mrs. M. Everett Dwight, 10; D. S. Bennet, 10; C. F. Richards, 5; L. Morehouse, 5; Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Jacob, 5; Chas. H. Farnsworth, 5; Ethel Cutler, 5; Friend, 5, 1,615 00
Ontario, Immanuel Cong. ch., Estelle Fewster, 5 00
Oxford, Jared C. Estelow, 10 00
Patchogue, 1st Cong. ch. 75 00
Perry Center, Cong. ch., of which 5 from J. Allen Thompson, 14 97
Port Chester, "C," 10 00
Port Leyden, 1st Cong. ch., Lucy A. Stimson, 3; A. J. Schroeder, 50, 53 00
Poughkeepsie, 1st Cong. ch., of which 50 from James D. Keith, 25 from Guilford Dudley, and 5 from Mrs. Henry R. Hoyt, 145; J. D. Keith, 65, 210 00
Randolph, Cong. ch. 5 40
Riverhead, Asa H. Wells, 25; Mrs. Helen H. Young, 1, 26 00
Rochester, South Cong. ch., 100; V. T. Whitmore, 25; Hattie M. Davison, 10; Mrs. Mary D. Wilcox, 10, 145 00
Sanborn, I. N. Crosby, 20 00
Saugerties, Rev. John B. Steketee, toward support Rev. John J. Banninga, 2 00
Schenectady, Pilgrim Cong. ch., toward support W. L. Swart, 82 29
Schroon Lake, Cong. ch., Rev. James C. Perkins, 30; Harriet Croswell, 3, 33 00
Sherburne, Fannie L. Rexford, 10; Friend, 15, 25 00
Skaneateles, Sara C. Terwilliger, 5 00
Slingerlands, Ada Ruso and Mother, 2 50
Spencerport, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Stephen W. Clarke, 5 00
Syracuse, Danforth Cong. ch., 102.50; Good Will Cong. ch., toward support Rev. L. O. Wright, 50; Mrs. D. P. Rhoades, 10; S. Elizabeth Stewart, 10; Phineas Whiteside, 1, 173 50
Tarrytown, Mrs. Elbert B. Monroe, 100 00
Thompson Ridge, Rev. Frederic E. Williams, 15 00
Ticonderoga, Mrs. Joseph Cook, 5 00
Troupsburg, G. A. Harris, 25 00
Wadham, Cong. ch. 23 00
Walton, Cong. ch., Mrs. L. Vesta Marvin, 1; F. L. Ogden, 10; Mary D. St. John, 10; Mrs. L. E. Hoyt, 2; Mrs. E. A. Fry, 2; "J. C. D.," 5; Friend, 5; In His Name, 1, 36 00
Warsaw, Cong. ch., of which 10 from W. R. Bathrick and 2 from Laura D. Jenks, 12; G. Z. Goodale, 12, 24 00
Watertown, Mrs. Mary A. Andrus, 2 00
Watervliet, W. H. Dabney, 25 00
West Berne, H. C. Lane, 1,000 00
West Bloomfield, Cong. ch. 20 55
West Winfield, Mary Eliza Harrison, 10 00
White Plains, Westchester Cong. ch., Mary J. Warren, 5; E. J. T. Vining, 100, 105 00
Willsboro, Rev. C. W. Grupe, 3 00
Woodville, Cong. ch. 30 00
Worcester, Flora Longenheld, 10 00
Yonkers, Alice P. Thoman, 5 00

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Legacies.—Binghamton, E. M. Noyes, by J. Manier, Trustee, 6.04; do., Sarah M. Mercereau, add'l, 15.39, 21 43

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New Jersey

Bloomfield, Mrs. S. W. Boardman and daughter, 10; Roger S. Boardman, 10, 20 00
East Orange, Trinity Cong. ch., F. W. Van Wagenen, 15; Ogden H. Bowers, 250, 265 00
Glen Ridge, Cong. ch., toward support Dr. F. Van Allen, 150; do., Women's Missionary Union, Mabel D. Bentley, 10; do., Mrs. W. B. Conklin, 5; Arthur J. Lockwood, 10, 175 00
Jersey City, Mrs. E. B. Kent, 60; Mary G. Stoddard, 5, 65 00
Lawrenceville, Rev. Chas. H. Willcox, 25 00
Millington, Henry De Mott, 15 00
Montclair, 1st Cong. ch., Friend, 15; Edw. T. Wilkinson, 250; Mrs. Lydia B. Dodd, 10; John T. Beach, 5, 280 00
Newark, V. S. Conklin, 12; Miss K. L. Hamilton, 10; Chas. L. Whitfield, 10; Caldwell Morrison, 3, 35 00
Ocean Grove, Ellen Ballard, 5 00
Plainfield, Mrs. P. S. Suffern, 5 00
Ridgewood, Mrs. Carrie P. Hixon, 5 00
Rutherford, Cong. ch., 29.50; T. B. Hascall, 40; W. J. Arnold, 10; F. A. Stedman, 10, 89 50
Upper Montclair, Christian Union Cong. ch., of which 450 toward support Rev. F. C. Laubach and 15 from E. P. Mott, 465; Mrs. Geo. Rossen, 250; Mrs. L. M. Gurney, 5, 720 00
Vineland, B. F. Tenney, 1 00

Wenonah, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sargent, 15 00
Westfield, 1st Cong. ch., of which 100 from Mrs. Fred'k J. Newcomb, 40 from Mrs. W. G. De Lamater, 30 from Emma L. Bridges, 10 from Mrs. F. C. McAuslan, 330 00

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Pennsylvania

Allentown, Robt. B. Fritsch, 1 00
Audenried, Horeb Cong. ch., James Jenkins, 20 00
Chestnut Hill, Stanley H. Tead, 5 00
Delta, Rose A. Bower, 5 00
Kane, W. H. Davis, 100 00
Meadville, Park-av. Cong. ch., 81.04; Mrs. T. L. Rossiter, 5, 86 04
Milroy, White Memorial Cong. ch. 38 85
Philadelphia, Central Cong. ch., Elizabeth L. Peck, 15; Rev. H. K. Heebner, 5; Harold Goodwin, 25; Gertrude S. Allen, 20; Elizabeth S. Jones, 2; Jos. R. C. Ward, 2; Eudock K. Egypt, 1; Friend, 2, 72 00
Pittsburgh, Sadie Connell, 5 00
Ridgeway, Ida E. Wood, 10 00
Scranton, Margaret Evans, 10 00
Warren, C. J. Crary, 50 00
Wheatland, Rev. Thomas M. Griffith, 5 00
Wilkesbarre, Buttonwood Cong. ch. 7 56

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Ohio

Akron, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from E. W. Stuart and 10 from Adelaide L. Brouse, 35; Frank Fiebeger, 10, 45 00
Alliance, W. L. Thomas, 5 00
Ashtabula, Mrs. Emily Wadsworth, 5 00
Atwater, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Walter L. Stratton, 17 05
Austinburg, Cong. ch. 10 00
Barberton, Columbia Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. H. A. N. Richards, 10 00
Bath, Cong. ch. 5 50
Berea, 1st Cong. ch., 50; J. G. Matthews, 500, 550 00
Brownhelm, Cong. ch., of which 1 from Mrs. Ruth E. Shattuck, 24 40
Canton, Geo. F. Housley, 5 00
Chatham, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. Lillian Williams, 23 00
Cincinnati, Walnut Hills Cong. ch., Josiah H. Jenkins, 10; Henry Appleton, 10; Clara Mackey, 3, 23 00
Cleveland, Euclid-av. Cong. ch., 83; Park Cong. ch., 27; Collinwood Cong. ch., 24.90; 1st Cong. ch., toward support Dr. O. H. Love, 24; Mizpah Cong. ch., 10; Highland Cong. ch., 5; A. S. Piwonka, 25; Mr. and Mrs. James F. Jackson, 20; Flora L. Edwards, 5; Geo. H. Johnson, 5; Harry F. Henderson, 5; A. D. Jones, 5, 238 90
Cleveland Heights, Friend, 10 00
Columbus, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Parintha B. Embree, 25; Plymouth Cong. ch., Edwin F. Wood, 5; Martha J. Maltby, 1, 31 00
Columbus Grove, Friend, 2 00
Cuyahoga Falls, Esther Stone Sherrer, 10; Mrs. Anna Jones, 5, 15 00
Dover, Cong. ch. 42 75
Eagleville, Cong. ch. 8 00
East Claridon, W. B. Bruce, 5 00
East Cleveland, East Cong. ch., Rev. J. G. Fraser, 5; Calvary Cong. ch., O. F. Emerson, 5; William Cobbledick, 10; Mrs. A. H. McQueen, 5, 25 00
Elyria, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. F. B. Haines and 5 from Geo. Gill, 15; 2d Cong. ch., E. D. Kindig, 10; Rev. L. W. Mahn, 5, 30 00
Euclid Village, Cong. ch. 11 00
Fredericksburg, Cong. ch., Mrs. Joseph Armstrong, 75 00
Hudson, Cong. ch. 28 00
Lexington, Cong. ch. 80 00
Lodi, Cong. ch. 25 00
Lorain, Geo. Day, 10 00
Madison, Central Cong. ch., Mrs. W. S. Sutton, 25 00
Mansfield, 1st Cong. ch., Mary Ellen Runyan, 2; Emma J. Bowers, 5, 7 00
Marietta, 1st Cong. ch., toward support Rev. Chas A. Stanley, of which 1,000 from Friend, 1,042.45; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Biscoe, 50; W. H. H. Jett, 5; Friend, toward support Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Augur, 1,000, 2,097 45
Martins Ferry, Cong. ch. 15 00
Medina, 1st Cong. ch., 70.91; Friend, 1, 71 91
Nelson, Cong. ch. 5 40
New London, Cong. ch., Stella M. Townsend, 10 00
North Bend, Frances S. Haire, 1 00
North Olmsted, Cong. ch., of which 10 from O. A. Risk, 2 from Mrs. F. R. Wilford, 37 00
Oberlin, United Cong. ch., of which 2 from Rev. Nahum W. Grover, 30 from E. L. Clarke, 10 from Fred H. Angle, 10 from Kemper Fullerton, 10 from Mrs. Harriet P. Pond, 5 from Mrs. Edw. C. Sedgwick, 5 from Mrs. F. J. Lehmann, and 5 from Susan Hinman, 77; 1st Cong. ch., of which 15 from Rev. Albert H. Currier and 10 from Mrs. J. K. Greene, 25; Rev. A. S. Root, 15; Mrs. Henry C. Haskell, 30; H. G. Husted, 25; Mrs. Wallace Taylor, 5; Geo. F. Garland, 1; Friend, 1, 179 00
Painesville, 1st Cong. ch., Robt. E. Doolittle, 25; The Misses Cummings, 50, 75 00
Petersburg, Rachel Davies, 5 00
Rootstown, 1st Cong. ch., Rev. Samuel M. Johnson, 10 00
Sandusky, 1st Cong. ch., Abbie B. Woolworth, 10 00
Springfield, Lagonda-av. Cong. ch., 20; 1st Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Petticrew, for Tehchow, 7.50; Sarah C. Frantz, 1, 28 50
Toledo, 1st Cong. ch., of which 500 toward support Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Woodward, 293.75 toward support Mrs. M. M. Webster, and 18 for China, 811.75; Washington-st. Cong. ch., of which 25 from Jerusha G. Mulhollen, 25 from Mrs. Edward H. Rhoades, and 5 from Mary P. Whitney, 55; Plymouth Cong. ch., E. M. Scovill, 20; 2d Cong. ch., W. E. Wright, 10; Park Cong. ch., Rev. Chas. E. Ward, 10; Pilgrim Cong. ch., 8.38; E. W. Butler, 5, 920 13
Twinsburg, Cong. ch., 36.25; Rev. R. T. Cross, 5, 41 25
Vermilion, Cong. ch. 10 00
Wayne, Cong. ch., Mrs. Bertha Jones, 50 00
Wellington, J. T. Haskell, 100 00
West Dover, Cong. ch., Mrs. G. C. Reed, 5 00
Youngstown, Plymouth Cong. ch. 34 00
———, "My Mother," 100 00

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Maryland

Baltimore, John H. Mather, 10; Mrs. L. B. Mather, 5; Elisabeth Helsby, 1, 16 00
Silver Spring, Mrs. Sarah L. Pratt, 50 00

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District of Columbia

Washington, Mt. Pleasant Cong. ch., of which 30 from Samuel R. Parsons and 10 from Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Farrington, 40; 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Emily S. Cook, 10 from Emily E. Robinson, and 5 from H. P. Gould, 40; Cleveland Park Cong. ch., of which 15 from Rev. Edward D. Eaton and 10 from F. E. Bigelow, 25; Mr. and Mrs. Carleton R. Ball, 5; Albert J. Osgood, 3, 113 00

Virginia

Norfolk, A. M. Lewis, 100 00

West Virginia

Huntington, Anna L. Johnston, 100; Elizabeth G. Johnston, 100; Ada Johnston, 100, 300 00

North Carolina

Salisbury, 1st Cong. ch. 10 00

South Carolina

Columbia, Rev. Edwin N. Andrews, 15 00

Georgia

Atlanta, Rev. M. W. Adams, 5 00
Hoschton, Mrs. Alexander Mahaffey, 2 00
7 00

Florida

Crystal Springs, Union Cong. ch., G. M. Laybourn, 3 00
Daytona, Mrs. Edgar M. Condit, toward support Rev. O. S. Johnson, 250; Eliza B. Condit, 25; W. H. Peck, 5, 280 00
Lake Helen, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. W. J. Todd, 2 00
Melbourne, Cong. ch., E. P. Branch, 5 00
Miami, Mrs. E. J. Lindsay, 10 00
Ocala, Geo. W. Chase, 10 00
Okahumpka, Rev. J. F. Galloway, 33 05
Orlando, Theo. F. Daniels, 20 00
St. Petersburg, Cong. ch., Mrs. Mary A. Bell, 5 00
Sanford, The People's Cong. ch., of which 10 from Rev. C. De W. Brower, 28 75
Tampa, Friend, 5 00
Tavares, Union Cong. ch, Guilford M. Wakelin, 10 00
West Palm Beach, Union Cong. ch., Maude E. Clarke, 5 00
Winter Park, Ella C. Edwards, 25; L. H. Roberts, 1, 26 00
442 80

Young People's Societies

New York.—Brooklyn, Young People's League of ch. of the Evangel, 10 00
Ohio.—Lexington, Y. P. S. C. E., for Harpoot, 40; Twinsburg, Y. P. S. C. E., .90, 40 90
50 90

Sunday Schools

Connecticut.—Madison, C. S. S., 23.50; New Haven, Dwight Place C. S. S., toward support Rev. Wm. R. Leete, 33.22; Putnam, 2d C. S. S., toward support Dr. H. N. Kinnear, 14.03; Stratford, 1st C. S. S., 10, 80 75
New York.—Franklin, C. S. S., for Adana, 15; Gloversville, C. S. S., for educational work in Mindanao, 3.45; South Hartford, 1st C. S. S., 3, 21 45
Ohio.—Cleveland, Cyril C. S. S., 2; Hudson, C. S. S., 15; Lenox, C. S. S., for work in Turkey, 22; Twinsburg, C. S. S., 2.55, 41 55
143 75

INTERIOR DISTRICT

Kentucky

Lincoln Ridge, Rev. A. Eugene Thomson, 10 00
Ludlow, Mabel Memorial Cong. ch., 20; L. B. Nobis, 50, 70 00
Newport, Cong. ch. 29 00
109 00

Tennessee

East Lake, Union Cong. ch. 20 95
Knoxville, Mrs. D. H. Geddes, 1 00
Nashville, Mrs. Bertha M. Bowen and Mary R. Norris, 35; Mary E. Spence, 3.50, 38 50
60 45

Alabama

Birmingham, Rev. Geo. Eaves, 5 00
Thorsby, Cong. ch. 75 00
80 00

Louisiana

Emad, Cong. ch., Kenneth Burgess, 2 00
Kinder, 1st Cong. ch. 57 60
59 60

Texas

Austin, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. C. H. Buck and 1 from H. L. Cobb, 6 00
El Paso, 1st Cong. ch., P. N. Bennett, 5 00
Houston, 1st Cong. ch. 12 50
Orange, Hampton McMillion, 1 00
San Antonio, Mrs. E. C. Van Ness, of which 15 for Shaowu, 25 00
Wichita Falls, C. A. Rettmann, of which 10 for Mexico, 110 00
159 50

Indiana

East Chicago, 1st Cong. ch. 34 00
Fort Wayne, Plymouth Cong. ch., of which 200 toward support Rev. F. E. Jeffery and 15 from J. S. House, 215; A. G. Burry, 5, 220 00
Indianapolis, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Linton A. Wood, 42; Union Cong. ch., 8.50; Frank B. Flanner, 15, 65 50
Terre Haute, Plymouth Cong. ch. 8 50
Winona Lake, E. E. and M. P. Chase, 10; Elizabeth A. Young, 10, 20 00
348 00

Oklahoma

Chickasha, Cong. ch., 3.25; Rev. Chas. J. Kellner, 5, 8 25
Drummond, Cong. ch. 2 00
El Reno, T. M. Aderhold, 15 00
Kingfisher, Cong. ch. 5 00
Mutual, Jacob Hasstedt, 6 00
Oklahoma City, Pilgrim Cong. ch., 14; H. L. Goddard, 2, 16 00
Tulsa, Rev. Oscar Lowry, 10; Mr. and Mrs. Alex. H. Kerr, toward support Albert C. Hausske, 200, 210 00
Vinita, Rebecca M. Swain, 2 00
Waynoka, Cong. ch. 2 00
Weatherford, Cong. ch. 10 00
276 25

Illinois

Abingdon, 1st Cong. ch. 100 00
Aurora, E. E. Bouslough, 235 00
Batavia, Cong. ch., Nicholas L. Johnson, 35 00
Big Woods, Cong. ch. 15 00
Blue Island, 1st Cong. ch. 8 00
Bowen, Cong. ch. 20 00
Buda, Mrs. J. B. Stewart, 50 00
Champaign, 1st Cong. ch. 60 00
Chesterfield, Cong. ch. 7 00
Chicago, Bethany Union Cong. ch., toward support Rev. and Mrs. V. F. Bradfield, 200; South Cong. ch., Wm. H. Tuthill, 100; New 1st Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Barnard, 100; Madison-av. Cong. ch., 30.75; Waveland-av. Cong. ch., 28; Tabernacle Cong. ch., Graham Taylor, 25; Pilgrim Cong. ch., Henry L. Kellogg, 25; Thomas Memorial Cong. ch., 18.39; Washington Park Cong. ch., 11; Rev. Ozora S. Davis, 25; L. T. Warner, 500, and Geo. R. Hemingway, 500, both toward support A. C. Hausske, 1,000; Harriet Riggs, toward support Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Hausske, 402.80; David Fales, 150; J. H. Moore, 100; Aaron B. Mead, 60; Joseph R. Noel, 25; Mrs. Joseph S. Johnston, 10; G. B. Willcox, 10; Edgar E. McDonald, 5; Mrs. Aurilla F. Gaylord, 2; Mrs. Robt. Preece, 1; Friends, 13.20; Friend, 10; Friend, 5, 2,357 14

Crystal Lake, Lucia D. Ford, 5 00
Decatur, Mrs. Mary S. Jones, 1 00
Dover, Cong. ch., Mrs. Willis L. Dean, 2 00
Downers Grove, Cong. ch., 42; Florence A. Spohr, 5, 47 00
Dwight, Cong. ch. 11 25
East St. Louis, Rev. C. H. Corwin, 1 00
Elgin, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Henry A. Rice and 10 from Mrs. W. G. Sawyer, 235 00
Emington, Mrs. R. P. Gallup, 1 00
Evanston, Cong. ch., 900; M. A. Dean, of which 250 toward support Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Hausske, 300; Mabel Rice, in memory of Wm. H. Rice, 10; H. R. Hobart, 10, 1,220 00
Freeport, M. J. Bidwell, 27 50
Galesburg, Central Cong. ch., John A. Ballard, 1; E. S. Tobey, 1; A. L. Larson, 1; John W. Thompson, 1, 4 00
Galva, Louise T. Kline, 5 00
Geneseo, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Eugenia Mather, 62; Lydia Colby, toward support Dr. and Mrs. Henry C. Gebhart, 250; Etta Chambers, 10; Lillian Mather, 1, 323 00
Godfrey, Cong. ch. 25 00
Granville, Cong. ch., in memory of Bertha Fox Dysart, for Mt. Silinda, 150 00
Harvey, Federated Cong. ch., Katharine De Graff, 25 00
Highland Park, Robert W. Patton, 100 00
Hinsdale, O. J. Bushnell, 25; John J. Leonard, 5, 30 00
Huntley, J. E. Williams, 2 00
Jacksonville, Wm. A. Kirby, 5 00
Lacon, Cong. ch. 30 00
La Grange, 1st Cong. ch., of which 100 from M. J. Carpenter, 300; G. H. McKay, 10, 310 00
Lombard, Josiah T. Reade, 5 00
Mendon, Mrs. E. P. Chittenden, 100 00
Moline, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Chas. H. Ainsworth, 25; Isaac Bliss, for work in Turkey, 100, 125 00
Neponset, Mrs. Joseph Stetson, 1 00
Oak Park, 1st Cong. ch., Clarence S. Pellet, 500; Pilgrim Cong. ch., 145.30; 6th Cong. ch., 5; Louise M. Eckhart, 3, 653 30
Park Ridge, Cong. ch., 24.50; Mrs. A. R. Mora, 1. 25 50
Payson, Daniel E. Robbins, 50; Ellen Thompson, 1, 51 00
Peoria, 1st Cong. ch., W. S. Mulford, 25; Union Cong. ch., 25; J. F. Cooper, 10, 60 00
Plainville, J. G. Mann, 10 00
Polo, Emma R. Pearson, 1 00
Port Byron, Emma L. Hollister, 25 00
Princeton, 1st Cong. ch. 14 90
Rockford, Mrs. John Barnes, 100; E. W. Chandler, 10, 110 00
Roseville, Mrs. M. N. Worden, 25 00
Sandoval, Cong. ch. 30 00
Sandwich, Cong. ch. 226 00
Seward, Cong. ch., Friend, 50 00
Shabbona, Mrs. Maria Burke, 5 00
Speer, S. P. Hawkins, 10 00
Spring Valley, 1st Cong. ch. 50 00
Sterling, 1st Cong. ch., Rev. H. A. Studebaker, 5 00
Streator, Mrs. Ada J. Watson, 2 00
Sycamore, Mrs. Emily S. Wood, 25 00
Thawville, Rev. Edmund Larke, 5 00
Western Springs, 1st Cong. ch. 61 25
Wheaton, Herman A. Fischer, Jr., 50; Addie L. Brewer, 6, 56 00
Wilmette, Cong. ch. 98 00
Winnetka, Cong. ch., Mrs. Carrie B. Prouty, 3; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Allsebrooke, 30, 33 00
Woodstock, Cong. ch. 12 50

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Legacies.—Morris, Dana Sherrill, add'l, 73 89

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Michigan

Allenville, Cong. ch. 13 00
Ann Arbor, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from Friend and 15 from E. M. Bragg, 20; Rev. J. E. Kirkpatrick, 10; Mrs. Stella A. Peers, 100, 130 00
Bancroft, Cong. ch. 4 50
Bangor, West Cong. ch. 9 00
Baroda, Cong. ch. 6 00
Battle Creek, Cong. ch. 18 75
Benton Harbor, 1st Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Markham, 5; Rhobie Chadwick, 10, 15 00
Benzonia, E. T. Huntington, 1 00
Breckenridge, Cong. ch. 9 00
Carmel, Cong. ch. 4 50
Central Lake, Cong. ch. 4 50
Charlevoix, Mrs. Brayton Saltonstall, 10 00
Charlotte, 1st Cong. ch., Vaughan G. Griffith, 10; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Taggart, 25, 35 00
Clinton, Cong. ch., of which 25 from W. S. Kimball, 47 50
Columbus, Cong. ch. 33 75
Detroit, 1st Cong. ch., of which 250 toward support Rev. James H. Dickson and 25 from Wm. C. Stoepel, 275; Brewster Cong. ch., of which 5 from Henry A. Jessop, 145; Pilgrim Cong. ch., 15; Eva Belle Adams, 85.84; Seward E. Clark, 25; T. W. McGregor, 25; Mrs. Mary M. Dewey, 5, 575 84
Dexter, Cong. ch., 6; Mrs. O. V. Matteson, 5, 11 00
Durand, Cong. ch 2 62
Eastport, Cong. ch. 3 05
Fremont, Cong. ch. 7 50
Grand Blanc, Cong. ch., Mrs. Lewis D. Wright, 5 00
Grand Rapids, East Cong. ch., toward support Rev. Francis M. Price, 50; Park Cong. ch., Eva D. McBain, 10; W. A. Rindge, 25; La Verne M. Judkins, 10, 95 00
Greenville, Louisa M. Graham, 1 00
Hartford, Cong. ch. 2 40
Homestead, Cong. ch. 3 50
Hopkins, 2d Cong. ch. 22 50
Honor, Cong. ch. 5 00
Howell, Eugene B. Pierce, 50 00
Hudson, Cong. ch. 12 50
Jackson, 1st Cong. ch., 45; Plymouth Cong. ch., 7.50, 52 50
Kalamazoo, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from G. Van De Kreeke, 120; Mary A. Brownell, 15, 135 00
Lake Linden, Cong. ch. 6 00
Leroy, Cong. ch. 10 00
Linden, C. W. Greene, 10 00
Litchfield, Cong. ch., Miss C. A. Turrell and Friends, 12 00
Ludington, Cong. ch., 31.85; Friend, 4, 35 85
Manistee, James E. Petrie, 30 00
Maple City, Cong. ch. 2 50
Muskegon, 1st Cong. ch., of which 30 from Rev. Archibald Hadden, 52.50; Jackson st. Cong. ch., 6, 58 50
Northport, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Elvesta T. Leslie and 10 from Clara E. Thomas, 20 00
Olivet, 1st Cong. ch. 40 00
Otsego, C. A. Buskirk, 5 00
Owosso, Cong. ch. 15 00
Portland, Cong. ch., 11.25; Mrs. A. H. Claflin, 10; Mrs. C. J. Warren, 5. 26 25
Rapid River, Cong. ch. 5 25
Romeo, Cong. ch. 8 35
St. Clair, Cong. ch. 50 00
Saugatuck, Mrs. Sophie Hirner, 2 00
Shelby, Cong. ch., for work in Japan, 100; Mrs. Elvira S. Adams, 70, 170 00
Traverse City, 1st Cong. ch. 46 00
Union City, Cong. ch. 10 00
Ypsilanti, Cong. ch. 25 00

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Wisconsin

Antigo, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. G. K. Meneely, 29 69
Appleton, H. G. Freeman, 10 00
Avena, 2d Cong. ch. 8 00
Baraboo, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Louise B. Avery, 5 00

Beloit, 1st Cong. ch., of which 50 from Rev. Edward D. Eaton, toward support Rev. M. W. Ennis, 25 from Ellen F. Chapin, and 10 from E. B. Kilbourn, 85; Gridley Cong. ch., 19; H. W. Adams, 2, 106 00
Berlin, Union Cong. ch., of which 2.50 from Lucy Fitch, 14 29
Black Earth, Cong. ch., 15; Etta C. Logan, 1, 16 00
Brodhead, Cong. ch., of which 32.50 from Friend, 47.50; Mrs. Norman Hall, 10; Mary R. Matter, 10; Friend, 15, 82 50
Burlington, Plymouth Cong. ch. 25 00
Columbus, Olivet Cong. ch., F. A. Chadbourn, 100 00
Eau Claire, 2d Cong. ch., 7.86; 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. E. W. Allen, 3; Mrs. D. V. Mayhew, 5, 15 86
Elcho, Mrs. P. H. Ralph, 1 00
Eldorado, Cong. ch., Rev. A. L. McClelland, 2 00
Emerald Grove, Cong. ch., A. D. Clark, 50 00
Fort Atkinson, J. P. Galloway, 5; E. W. Wilcox, 1, 6 00
Hartland, Cong. ch. 8 75
Hillsboro, Cong. ch. 20 00
Janesville, Cong. ch., 200; do., Woman's Miss. Soc., Mrs. H. B. Fletcher, 10; Susan A. Jeffris, 15; John M. Whitehead, 10; Mrs. Chas. E. Ewing, 5, 240 00
Kinnickinnic, Cong. ch. 30 00
La Crosse, Mrs. L. C. Colman, 50 00
Lake Mills, Mrs. S. Isabel Wegemann, 5 00
Lakewood, Cong. ch. 1 00
Madison, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Edward S. Worcester, 167.50; Mrs. Frances S. Loomis, 10, 177 50
Maple Valley, Cong. ch. 6 10
Mazomanie, Cong. ch., of which 1 from Mrs. W. S. Parr, 26 00
Menasha, Cong. ch., 40; Mrs. Joseph C. Underwood, 5, 45 00
Menomonie, Cong. ch. 50 00
Milwaukee, Rev. A. R. Thain, 25; J. D. Madison, 10; J. O. Myers, 10, 45 00
Mukwonago, Cong. ch. 11 50
New Richmond, Cong. ch. 25 75
Oconomowoc, Cong. ch. 14 50
Owen, Cong. ch 5 00
Platteville, Cong. ch. 25 00
Pulcifer, Cong. ch. 3 00
Rhinelander, C. P. Crosby, 25 00
Ripon, Ella E. Meyer, 3 00
Roberts, Cong. ch. 70 00
Rochester, Edward Willey, 1 00
Sheboygan, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. Ford A. Dennett, 55 00
Sparta, 1st Cong. ch. 73 00
Sun Prairie, Cong. ch. 50 00
Superior, Hope Cong. ch. 7 00
Two Rivers, Rev. and Mrs. Theodore T. Holway, 10 00
Waukesha, D. F. Williams, 10; Lamira A. Garvens, 5, 15 00
Waupun, Cong. ch. 25 00
Wauwatosa, Cong. ch., Augustine H. Owens, 10; C. D. Waugh, 2, 12 00
West Rosendale, Cong. ch., Rev. J. F. Taintor, 10 00

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Minnesota

Ada, Cong. ch., 13.94; C. R. Andrews, 50, 63 94
Backus, Cong. ch. 2 55
Birchdale, Cong. ch. 5 27
Border, Cong. ch. 1 19
Burtrum, Cong. ch. 2 04
Cambria, Cong. ch. 10 20
Cannon Falls, 1st Cong. ch. 11 90
Center Chain, Cong. ch. 1 48
Clearwater, Cong. ch. 5 76
Correll, Cong. ch. 1 70
Danvers, Cong. ch. 2 04
Duluth, Pilgrim Cong. ch., 74.80; Samuel E. Matter, 25; L. Ella Roe, 10; Mrs. W. A. McGonagle, 10; E. G. Chapman, 10; Mrs. N. H. and Jessie Maynard, 2, 131 80
Elk River, Mrs. F. L. Houlton, 10 00
Excelsior, Cong. ch., 9.86; S. R. Sikes, 50, 59 86
Fairmont, Cong. ch. 34 00
Freeborn, Cong. ch., of which 50 from Ladies' Soc. and 5 from F. M. Snyder, 55 00
Groveland, Cong. ch. 3 55
Hancock, Cong. ch. 5 18
Hawley, Cong. ch. 3 30
Lake City, 1st Cong. ch., W. F. Wilson, 5; E. S. Anderson, 5, 10 00
Laporte, Frank W. Hart, 10 00
Marietta, Cong. ch. 2 21
McIntosh, Cong. ch. 3 40
Medford, Cong. ch. 7 00
Minneapolis, Plymouth Cong. ch., of which 863.35 from W. H. Bovey and 10 from Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bass, 1,206.67; 5th-av. Cong. ch., 51; Park-av. Cong. ch., 30.37; Oak Park Cong. ch., of which 25 from Wm. Ure, Jr., 26.43; Forest Heights Cong. ch., 25.16; 1st Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Eddy, 25; Pilgrim Cong. ch., 25.27; Lyndale Cong. ch., 17.68; Linden Hills Cong. ch., 15.66; Minnehaha Cong. ch., 2.80; Arthur P. Stacy, 500; E. A. Strong, 30; Mrs. Carrie E. Strong, 25; Charles H. Wingate, 10; William R. Oakey, 10; Emma Hood, 5, 2,006 04
Northfield, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Agnes E. Page, 155; Mrs. C. H. McCreery, 3; Isabella Watson, 1, 159 00
Plainview, Cong. ch. 4 25
Preston, Mrs. H. S. Bassett, 25 00
Rochester, Cong. ch. 100 00
Rose Creek, Cong. ch., Mrs. F. G. Ray, 5 00
St. Charles, Belle Murray, 10 00
St. Paul, Olivet Cong. ch., 34; St. Anthony Park Cong. ch., 29.75; Friend, in memory of Mrs. S. J. Williams, 10; Minnette L. Warren, 5, 78 75
St. Paul Park, The Biscoes, 30 00
Sherburn, Cong. ch. 6 63
Shevlin, Cong. ch. 2 55
South St. Paul, C. W. Clark, 25 00
Spring Valley, Cong. ch. 22 95
Stewart, Cong. ch. 2 04
Swanville, Cong. ch. 1 56
Tintah, Cong. ch. 4 85
Wabasha, Cong. ch. 85
Williams, Cong. ch. 3 57
Zumbrota, Nancy E. Ballard, 5 00

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Iowa

Alden, Cong. ch. 41 00
Ames, Cong. ch. 10 20
Anamosa, Cong. ch., of which 25 from A. G. Hejinian, 72 00
Atlantic, Cong. ch., toward support Rev. R. L. Abraham, 365.50; C. W. Curtis, 50, 415 50
Baxter, Rev. H. J. Wilkins, 10 00
Boone, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Axtell, 50 00
Cedar Falls, Cong. ch., 116.25; Mary F. Hearst, 10; Mrs. Vesta A. Bryant, 10, 136 25
Cedar Rapids, 1st Cong. ch., 167.20; Frank G. Clark, 5, 172 20
Central City, 1st Cong. ch. 5 00
Chapin, Cong. ch. 5 00
Charles City, Helen M. Morrison, 5 00
Creston, 1st Cong. ch. 48 00
Danville, Mrs. Warren Mathews, 5 00
Davenport, Edwards Cong. ch., 27.15; Mrs. H. F. Gibbs, 1, 28 15
Denmark, Cong. ch. 10 00
Des Moines, Greenwood Cong. ch., 22; Plymouth Cong. ch., Genevieve Otis, 10; W. H. Barnard, 25; S. A. Merrill, 20; Anna K. Barnard, 17.50; Mrs. H. N. Whitney, 5, 99 50
De Witt, Cong. ch. 11 00
Dinsdale, Cong. ch. 3 00
Doon, Cong. ch. 4 00
Dubuque, 1st Cong. ch. 66 00
Dunlap, F. W. Curtis, 1 00
Eagle Grove, Cong. ch., L. W. Worthington, 1 00
Eddyville, Cong. ch. 6 00
Eldon, Cong. ch. 11 00
Eldora, C. McKeen Duren, 35 00

Fort Dodge, Cong. ch., of which 20 from Mrs. A. R. Loomis, 86 00
Genoa Bluff, Cong. ch. 5 50
Gilbert, Cong. ch. 16 50
Grinnell, 1st Cong. ch., Chas. Noble, 5; Emily C. Crane, for Aruppukottai, 5, 10 00
Hanford, Cong. ch. 3 00
Idagrove, Mrs. Helen G. Rice, for Japan, 5 00
Independence, Grace E. Potwin, 10 00
Iowa City, Cong. ch., 22; W. H. Bliss, 1, 23 00
Keokuk, Cong. ch., 132; Florence Backus, 2, 134 00
Keosauqua, Cong. ch. 6 90
Lake View, Cong. ch. 7 00
Long Creek, Cong. ch. 18 00
Luzerne, Cong. ch. 3 50
Maquoketa, Cong. ch. 30 00
Manchester, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Julia Bailey and daughter, 7 00
Manson, Cong. ch. 14 00
Marion, Cong. ch. 12 50
Mason City, Cong. ch., 49.20; Mrs. James E. Blythe, 5, 54 20
McGregor, Cong. ch. 9 60
Montour, Cong. ch. 51 25
Moville, Cong. ch. 33 00
Muscatine, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from Friend, 33 90
New Hampton, Cong. ch. 12 00
Olds, Cong. ch. 9 65
Orient, Cong. ch. 8 25
Osage, W. F. Penney, 5 00
Osceola, Jennie M. Baird, of which 6 from Paotingfu, 11 00
Oskaloosa, Cong. ch., 33; Mrs. Anna B. Edris, 5, 38 00
Otho, Cong. ch. 16 50
Ottumwa, 1st Cong. ch. 26 00
Parkersburg, Cong. ch. 6 65
Percival, Cong. ch. 5 50
Perry, Cong. ch. 11 00
Peterson, Cong. ch. 33 00
Postville, Cong. ch. 22 30
Primghar, Mrs. William Welch, 2 00
Red Oak, Cong. ch. 32 25
Rockford, Cong. ch. 5 30
Rockwell, Cong. ch. 27 00
Rodney, Isabel E. Cowan, 10 00
Salem, Cong. ch., Mary A. French, 5 00
Sheldon, Cong. ch. 44 00
Sioux City, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. C. W. Stevenson, 25 00
Sioux Rapids, Cong. ch. 31 40
Sloan, Cong. ch. 63 65
Spencer, Cong. ch. 88 70
Strawberry Point, Cong. ch., Parke Buckley, 10 00
Tabor, Cong. ch., of which 10 from H. T. Woods, 43 10
Traer, Cong. ch. 55 00
Union, Cong. ch. 10 75
Victor, Cong. ch. 6 65
Webster City, Cong. ch. 49 50
Whiting, Cong. ch. 16 50

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Legacies.—Osage, Jas. A. Smith, by Fred C. Smith, Ex'r, 1,500 00

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Missouri

Amity, Rev. L. A. Turner, 5 00
Bonne Terre, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mary E. Shepard and 2 from H. D. Evans, 12 00
Kansas City, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from Jas. W. Perkins, 257.16; Rev. B. B. Seelye, 25; Charlotte T. Price, 10; C. S. Bishop, 10; F. L. Bidwell, 5; Nat. Spencer, 2, 309 16
Kidder, Mrs. D. J. Burbank, 1 00
New Cambria, Cong. ch. 15 00
St. Joseph, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Harriet J. Harding, 50; Plymouth Cong. ch., 5.25; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Harding, 100, 155 25
St. Louis, Pilgrim Cong. ch., of which 5 from Wm. C. Fairbank and 5 from Susie S. Fish, 184.85; 1st Cong. ch., Alice W. Litton, 10; Fountain Park Cong. ch., 8; Hope Cong. ch., 2; Frederic A. Hall, 10; Luther Ely Smith, 5; Edward A. Weber, 3, 222 85
Sedalia, 1st Cong. ch., 8.50; 2d Cong. ch., 10, 18 50
Springfield, 1st Cong. ch., of which 2 from I. L. Freeman, 43; Wm. M. Smith, 5, 48 00

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North Dakota

Dwight, Rev. A. L. Allison, 2 00
Elbowoods, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hall, 10 00
Minot, A. G. Crane, 5 00
Oriska, Union Cong. ch., of which 25 from Mrs. Delavan Carlton, 10 from I. M. Carlton, and 10 from D. M. Carlton, 45 00

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South Dakota

Armour, Cong. ch. 32 00
Bonesteel, Cong. ch. 11 75
Chamberlain, Cong. ch. 5 60
Hot Springs, E. P. Farr, 10 00
Isabel, German Cong. ch. 13 65
Miller, F. D. Greene, 100 00
Nisland, Cong. ch. 10 00
Redfield, Cong. ch., of which 30 from L. W. Black, 48.64; Friend, 5, 53 64
Scenic, Cong. ch. 2 72
Springfield, J. O. Duguid, 2 00
Valley Springs, Federated Cong. ch., of which 20 from Woman's Miss. Soc., 25 from the Jenny family, and 5 from Ruby De Lap, 50 00
Vermilion, Cong. ch. 25 27
Watertown, Cong. ch. 21 36

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Nebraska

Arcadia, Cong. ch. 5 00
Ashland, Friend, 35 00
Blair, Cong. ch., Charles Ross, 100 00
Brunswick, Cong. ch. 15 00
Exeter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Smith, 200 00
Franklin, Cong. ch., Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Knapp, 10 00
Fremont, Cong. ch. 45 00
Friend, Frank F. Hamilton, 5 00
Grant, B. F. Hastings, 10 00
Lincoln, Vine Cong. ch., Dorothy Green, 25 00
Manley, Pheobe A. Coon, 5 00
Normal, Nettie Cropsey, 25 00
Ogallala, Katherine Feather, 2 00
Omaha, 1st Central Cong. ch., D. A. Matthews, 15; Plymouth Cong. ch., Mrs. M. B. Copeland, 10, 25 00
Rising City, Cong. ch. 105 00
Waverly, Mrs. J. G. Ellenwood, 2 00
Wilsonville, Walter N. Giles, for work in Turkey, 25 00

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Kansas

Alton, Cong. ch., Lucy F. Braden, 10 00
Auburn, Mrs. A. Spangler, 3 40
Beloit, Mrs. Wm. Eustace, 5 00
Carbondale, Cong. ch. 14 00
Collyer, Mrs. Hugh Tidball, 5 00
Council Grove, Cong. ch., Rev. J. L. Read, 10 00
Fort Scott, A. B. Dickman, 10 00
Haviland, G. W. Wright, 10 00
Hiawatha, Frank N. Morrill, 25 00
La Crosse, J. H. Little, 25 00
Leavenworth, Cong. ch., Mrs. Margaret L. Eddy, 100 00
Manhattan, Mrs. J. T. Willard, 4; Mrs. Phoebe H. McKeen, 1, 5 00
Maplehill, Community ch., Mrs. M. J. W. Crouch, 50 00
McPherson, 1st Cong. ch., for expenses of Manley D. Tibbetts, 125; Mrs. E. E. Shelley, 1, 126 00
Overbrook, Edward M. Everett, 2 50
Partridge, A. L. Goudy, 3 00
Sedgwick, Plymouth Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. Sarah J. Brooks, 74 00

Stockton, J. W. Noyce,	1 00
Topeka, 1st Cong. ch., of which 2.50 from Florence P. Campbell, 63.50; Hattie M. Halbert, 10; Mrs. A. T. Daniels, 5; Bertha C. Hyde, 2; W. G. Boon, 1,	81 50
Wabaunsee, Cong. ch., Mrs. Robert Enlow,	5 00
Wheaton, Rev. and Mrs. Jas. C. Mayos,	5 00
Wichita, Fairmount Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mary B. Dimond, 40; United Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. Grover Pierpont, 10; Mrs. N. J. Morrison, 5,	55 00
	625 40

Montana

Absarokee, Cong. ch.	13 00
Arlee, Cong. ch.	3 05
Baker, Cong. ch.	6 17
Billings, Polytechnic Cong. ch.	11 32
Butte, People's Cong. ch.	7 09
Columbus, Cong. ch.	29 66
Crow Agency, Cong. ch.	19 66
Dixon, Cong. ch.	9 34
Geyser, Cong. ch.	6 76
Hardin, Cong. ch.	8 20
Medicine Lake, Cong. ch.	19 55
Melstone, Cong. ch.	11 93
Mildred, Cong. ch.	5 64
Red Lodge, Cong. ch.	37 90
Sidney, Cong. ch.	103 65
Wibaux, Cong. ch.	20 00
	312 92

Wyoming

Wheatland, Mrs. P. D. Hawkins,	2 00

Colorado

Boulder, 1st Cong. ch., of which 4 from Zella Curtin, 49; Mrs. J. Henderson, 25; Mary A. Billings, 5; Friend, 5,	84 00
Colorado Springs, 1st Cong. ch., of which 100 from Mrs. Augustus G. Upton and 1 from De Witt C. Jencks, 101; Mrs. Eliza H. Fette, 10,	111 00
Denver, Plymouth Cong. ch., Mrs. Orline S. Adams, deceased, 100; Boulevard Cong. ch., O. W. Kremer, 5,	105 00
Fort Collins, Rev. John Hoelzer,	10 00
Golden, H. B. Patton,	25 00
Grand Junction, 1st Cong. ch., A. B. Campbell,	10 00
Pueblo, Rev. Clarence P. Emery,	2 00
	347 00
Legacies.—Colorado Springs, Allen C. Cobb, add'l,	1,771 57
	2,118 57

Young People's Societies

Kentucky.—Ludlow, Mabel Memorial Y. P. S. C. E.	5 00
Michigan.—Clinton, 1st Y. P. S. C. E.	11 00
Minnesota.—St. Paul, Olivet Y. P. S. C. E., Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sweney,	50 00
	66 00

Sunday Schools

Texas.—Austin, 1st C. S. S.	1 52
Oklahoma.—Goltry, C. S. S.	4 00
Illinois.—Area, C. S. S., 12.50; Chicago, South Shore C. S. S., 5; Dwight, C. S. S., for Shaowu, 15; Lockport, C. S. S., for Mt. Silinda, 10.59; Mound City, C. S. S., 6,	49 09
Michigan.—St. Clair, C. S. S.	4 00
Wisconsin.—Eisensline, Sunny Side S. S., for work among Armenians,	2 90
Minnesota.—Excelsior, C. S. S.	2 89
Iowa.—Buffalo Center, C. S. S., 4; Clear Lake, C. S. S., 6.80; Eddyville, C. S. S., 5,	15 80
Missouri.—Joplin, C. S. S., 2.60; Springfield, C. S. S., 10,	12 60
Kansas.—Kansas City, Chelsea C. S. S., for China,	8 36
	101 16

PACIFIC DISTRICT

Arizona

Prescott, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. W. A. D., 10; Walter Hill, 20,	30 00

Utah

Ogden, 1st Cong. ch., Ernest P. Mills,	10 00
Provo, Community Cong. ch., Edith B. Chandler,	10 00
Salt Lake City, Phillips Cong. ch., L. H. Page, for native worker, Madura,	10 00
	30 00

Nevada

Reno, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Alice A. Chism,	10 00

Idaho

Challis, Cong. ch.	22 00
Mountain Home, O. E. Norell,	10 00
Nampa, E. F. Stephens,	100 00
Pocatello, Cong. ch.	50 00
	182 00

Washington

Aberdeen, Cong. ch.	35 00
Ahtanum, Cong. ch., of which 5 from D. A. Gillette,	37 00
Anacortes, Pilgrim Cong. ch., Friend,	10 00
Black Diamond, Cong. ch.	14 00
Deer Park, Mrs. L. Darrow,	1 00
Everett, W. G. Baker,	25 00
Forks, Cong. ch.	3 55
Granite Falls, Cong. ch.	4 00
Kirkland, Cong. ch., 1.33; Carrie H. Shumway, 5,	6 33
La Crosse, J. A. Streckle, toward support Albert C. Hausske,	300 00
Lakeside, O. L. Fowler,	10 00
Monroe, Cong. ch.	3 00
Olympia, Mrs. C. R. Peterson,	5 00
Seattle, Plymouth Cong. ch., of which 50 from A. S. Burwell and 12 from Friend, 1,092; Fauntleroy Cong. ch., Rob't D. Hamlin, 50; University Cong. ch., Alice Brown, 15; Finnish Cong. ch., 5; Edgewater Cong. ch., 3.61; G. Irving Garett, 1,	1,166 61
Steilacoom, Oberlin Cong. ch., Andrew L. Bell,	10 00
Sylvan, Cong. ch.	20 00
Tacoma, Pilgrim Cong. ch., A. B. Knowlton, 25; 1st Cong. ch., A. B. Savage, 5; Geo. R. Osgood, 50; Wm. E. Burkhart, 2,	82 00
Tolt, Cong. ch.	4 52
Tonasket, Cong. ch.	1 00
Wallace, Cong. ch.	4 00
Walla Walla, 1st Cong. ch., of which 50 from Louis F. Anderson and 5 from Mrs. Benjamin H. Brown,	55 00
Washougal, Cong. ch., 9.10; Bethel Cong. ch., B. Acker, 20,	29 10
Wenatchee, Mrs. Julia R. Phelps, 10; Mrs. Benedict, 1; Julia M. Sister and Edith C. Sister, 1,	12 00
Yakima, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. A. H. Johnston,	2 00
	1,840 11

Oregon

Beaverton, Cong. ch., 54.45; Abraham Reichen, 2.50,	56 95
Eugene, Y. M. C. A., toward support Rev. James K. Lyman,	5 00
Forest Grove, Cong. ch., 28.19; Friend, 10,	38 19
Hubbard, Robert Poinsett,	10 00
Ingle Chapel, Cong. ch.	14 70
Ontario, Cong. ch.	11 00
Philomath, C. T. Whittlesey,	5 00
Portland, Sunnyside Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. Amelia Tontz, 55; Laurelwood Cong. ch., 10; Highland Cong. ch., 1.95; J. H. Abbott, 20; H. H. Staub, 5; Mrs. G. M. Parker, 2,	93 95
	234 79

California

Adin, Cong. ch. 8 74
Alameda, Ruey Dexter, 15; H. F. Dexter, 5, 20 00
Altadena, Miss J. C. Dorman, 10 00
Benicia, Cong. ch. 2 88
Berkeley, 1st Cong. ch., 184; North Cong. ch., 75.35; Helen Youngman, 5; Charlotte De Rochemont, 1, 265 35
Buena Park, Cong. ch. and S. S. 13 89
Carmel, Josephine M. Culbertson, 5; Helen C. Kip, 5, 10 00
Claremont, Cong. ch. 91 69
Corona, Cong. ch., 40; Mrs. W. J. Fink, 5; Mrs. Carrie Birdsall, 2, 47 00
Eagle Rock, Cong. ch., 2.05; Mrs. S. J. Shedd, for Turkey, 10, 12 05
Escondido, Cong. ch., of which 15 from F. E. Boudinot and family, 55 18
Eureka, Cong. ch. 31 58
Fowler, B. Boranian, 5 00
Fresno, Rev. David W. Montgomery, 10 00
Glendale, Cong. ch., of which 3.50 from V. T. Smith, 20 86
Grass Valley, Cong. ch. 7 67
Hawthorne, Cong. ch. 11 52
Highland, Cong. ch., of which 2 from Mrs. S. G. Lamb, 96 24
Hollywood, Karl C. Wells, 1 00
Hyde Park, Cong. ch. 2 48
La Mesa, Central Cong. ch., of which 50 from Rev. W. A. Waterman, to const. *Himself*, H. M., 63.32; James W. Porter, 100; Mary H. Porter, 50; Mrs. G. H. Palmer, 5, 218 32
Lawndale, Cong. ch. 2 33
Lockeford, Cong. ch. 3 63
Long Beach, Cong. ch., of which 200 from Martha N. Hathaway, 339 50
Loomis, Cong. ch., 23; Agnes Kinney, 5, 28 00
Los Angeles, 1st Cong. ch., of which 50 from A. J. Osgood, 25 from Mary Louise Atsatt, 25 from Elliot S. Miller, 5 from Mrs. C. A. Frear, and 15 from Friend, 266.05; Hollywood Cong. ch., 55.80; ch. of the Messiah, 19.73; Bethany Cong. ch., 14.42; Colgrove Cong. ch., 8.68; Mesa Cong. ch., 7.44; West End Cong. ch., 6.20; East Cong. ch., 6.12; Lincoln Memorial Cong. ch., 5.49; Grace Cong. ch., 5.42; L. W. Keister, 500; Frank P. Bacon, 50; Mrs. W. H. Noll, 5; Friend, 10; Friend, 5; Friend, 5; Friend, 5, 975 35
Manhattan, Cong. ch. 5 46
Maricopa, Cong. ch. 12 57
Martinez, Cong. ch., 8.88; Rev. Edson D. Hale, 10, 18 88
Menlo Park, Mary E. Hyde, 10 00
Mill Valley, Cong. ch., 7.39; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Evans, 100,
Monrovia, Cong. ch., 12.74; Mrs. C. H. Seaver, 5, 107 39
Moreno, Cong. ch. 17 74
Monterey, Friend, 5 79
National City, Cong. ch. 1 00
Oakland, Pilgrim Cong. ch., of which 1 from John Wright Buckham, 18.05; Fruitvale-av. Cong. ch., 10.58; 1st Cong. ch., Kate Gilbert, 10; Olivet Cong. ch., 1.02, 5 86
Oroville, Cong. ch., 17.25; E. W. Ehmann, 5, 39 65
Pacific Grove, Cong. ch. 22 25
Palo Alto, Cong. ch., 10.38; Louisa B. White, 10, 31 63
Paradise, Cong. ch., 5.78; Annie J. Winslow, 25, 20 38
Pasadena, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from Anna L. Meeker, 5 from Minnie Reeves, 15 from "D," 25 from "Friend," and 25 from "Friend," 245; Pilgrim Cong. ch., 14.33; Lake-av. Cong. ch., Franklin Thomas, 10; H. A. Sanford, 25; Mrs. C. Cornelia Alford, 10; Francis E. Peacock, 10; Mrs. Elisabeth S. Baldwin, 5; Belle L. Bentley, 3; Mrs. Henry C. Byington, 2; Lucy M. Byington, 1; Alice Byington, 1; R. M. Webster, 1; "Friend," 5, 30 78
Petaluma, Cong. ch., 21.69; Catherine D. Denman, 10; Mrs. Mattie A. Gould, 5, 332 32
Pomona, Cong. ch., of which 5 from S. M. Jacobus, 36 69
Porterville, Cong. ch. 84 36
Ramona, Cong. ch. 12 65
Red Bluff, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Doane, in memory of their daughter Clara, 9 69
Redlands, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Rev. W. P. Clancy and 25 from Mrs. J. W. Garrison, 61; S. H. Barrett, 25, 50 00
Redondo Beach, Cong. ch. 86 00
Redwood City, Cong. ch., 46; L. P. Behrens, 50; Donald W. Williams, 20, 5 76
Rio Vista, Cong. ch. 116 00
Riverside, 1st Cong. ch., Nellie M. Downs, 10; B. W. Handy, 10; Mrs. E. D. Keck, 5, 1 50
Sacramento, 1st Cong. ch., Henriette L. Huntington, 25 00
San Diego, 1st Cong. ch., of which 10 from "S. E. T.," 127.85; Logan Heights Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. G. A. Fisher, 40.70; Mission Hills Cong. ch., 31; La Jolla, Cong. ch., 9.30; Ocean Beach Cong. ch., 3.74; Park Villas Cong. ch., 2.11; G. W. Marston, 1,250; Lucy A. Henderson, 15; Katharine Snowden, 1, 2 00
San Francisco, 1st Cong. ch., of which 25 from S. H. Boardman, 140; Bethany Cong. ch., Woman's Aid Society, 50; Ocean View Cong. ch., 5.44; Mission Cong. ch., Rev. W. C. Pond, 5; I. H. Morse, 50; C. O. G. Miller, 25; Rev. Wm. B. Payne, 20; A. T. Ruthrauff, 2.25, 1,480 70
Sanger, Cong. ch. 297 69
San Jacinto, Cong. ch. 8 74
San Jose, Cong. ch., 50; Mrs. S. F. Armstrong, 1; Friends, 50, 3 53
San Lorenzo, Cong. ch. 101 00
San Mateo, Cong. ch. 2 23
San Rafael, Cong. ch. 6 90
San Ysidro, 1st Cong. ch., H. P. Sawyer and Miss Wakefield. 12 37
Santa Ana, Cong. ch. 2 00
Santa Cruz, Mrs. E. M. Cook, 39 00
Santa Margarita, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Pelton, 1 00
Santa Rosa, 1st Cong. ch., 2.24; Mrs. A. F. Burnett, 50, 20 00
Saratoga, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Blaney, 52 24
Soquel, Cong. ch. 50 00
Stockton, Cong. ch. 7 82
Sunnyvale, Cong. ch. 18 40
Sunol Glen, Cong. ch. 12 08
Tipton, Cong. ch. 3 45
Tulare, Cong. ch. 81
Venice, Cong. ch. 4 60
Whittier, Cong. ch., toward support Cass A. Reed, 150; Rev. and Mrs. Harold I. Gardner, 10, 6 82
Yucaipa, Cong. ch. 160 00
———, Churches, through Southern California Cong. Conference, see detail in September Receipts, 2 57
473 82

6,149 39

Legacies.—Pasadena, Cordelia A. Boynton, by G. A. Gibbs, Ex'r, 300 00

6,449 39

Hawaii

Honolulu, Central Union ch., Mrs. Emma V. Bowen, 150; Rev. and Mrs. Doremus Scudder, 150, 300 00

Young People's Societies

California.—Maricopa, Y. P. S. C. E., 3.10; Soquel, Y. P. S. C. E., 3.68, 6 78

Sunday Schools

California.—Adin, C. S. S., 2.76; Benicia, C. S. S., 1.47; Escondido, C. S. S., 3.02;

Petaluma, 1st C. S. S., 5; Pittsburg, C. S. S., .34; Rio Vista, C. S. S., .80; San Francisco, Italian and Spanish C. S. S., 1.16; Willowbrook, C. S. S., 12.40, 26 95

MISCELLANEOUS

From the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*

H. W. Barker, Toronto, Ontario, Treasurer, 552 90

China

Amoy, Rev. Lee S. Huizenga, 2 00

FROM WOMAN'S BOARDS

From *Woman's Board of Missions*

Mrs. Frank G. Cook, Boston, Treasurer

For allowances, grants, outfits and refits of missionaries,	35,535 99	
For traveling expenses of missionaries and supplementary appropriations,	19,421 43	
For sundry missions in part,	12,048 42	
For allowances, grants, outfits and refits of missionaries,	767 61	
For purchase of land, Hindu Girls' School, Aruppukottai,	800 00	
For women's evangelistic work, care Miss B. P. Reed,	600 00	
For repairs on missionary's home, Japan,	35 00	
For repairs on missionary's home, Japan,	50 00	
For repairs on missionary's home, Japan,	400 00	
For special use of missionary, Japan,	42 72	
For making over building for kindergarten teachers and Bible-women, Japan,	600 00	
For furnishings for Baikwa residence, Japan,	100 00	
For deficit of night school, Matsuyama, Japan,	575 00	
For excessive hotel bills for Annual Meeting, 1920,	58 68	
For beds for dormitory, Philippines,	300 00–	71,334 85

From *Woman's Board of Missions of the Interior*

Mrs. S. E. Hurlbut, Chicago, Illinois, Treasurer, 20,000 00

For Taiku Woman's Hospital Building and equipment,	550 00–	20,550 00

From *Woman's Board of Missions for the Pacific*

Mrs. W. W. Ferrier, Berkeley, California, Treasurer, 2,068 44

93,953 29

Henry R. Adkins Fund

Income for regular work, 13 61

Alden Memorial Fund

Income for evangelistic and educational work in Madura Mission, 557 11

Allen Memorial Fund

Income for regular work, 217 72

Mabel Baker Anderson Fund

Income for work in China, 511 65

Atterbury Fund

Income for education of students in theological seminary, Tungchow, 258 55

Harriet R. Ballou Fund

Income for regular work, 544 31

Samuel B. Capen Fund

Income for support of native pastors, preachers, and teachers, 272 15

Susan B. Church Memorial Fund

Income for Sholapur Station as from Cong. ch., Littleton, N. H. 8 16

Clark Fund

Income for native preacher in India, 54 43

Herbert R. Coffin Fund

Income for support of native helpers in India, 263 99

Cutler Fund

Income for regular work, 27 22

Dewing Fund

Income for regular work, 769 58

East Madison Avenue Church Memorial Fund

Income for work in Bulgaria, 54 43

First Congregational Church, Stamford, Fund

Income for native worker in India as from 1st Cong. ch., Stamford, Conn. 81 65

Foochow College Professorship Endowment

Income for salary and other expenses of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gardner, 2,000 00

Charles E. Fowler Memorial Fund

Income for regular work, 27 22

Rogene T. Fulton Fund

Income for support of Bible-reader in India, 54 43

Rev. George A. Gordon Fund

Income for special medical expenses of missionaries, 54 43

Hallock Fund

Income for regular work, 2 60

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Hazen Memorial Fund

Income for evangelistic work in Madura Mission, 1,093 98

Jaffna Medical Mission Endowment

Income for medical mission work in Ceylon, 423 35

Jones Fund

Income for support of native workers in Shaowu, 54 43

Orilla C. Kellogg Fund

Income for support and education of native children, 593 62

Mills Memorial Fund

Income for employment and training of native Christian workers, 19 87

Hollis Moore Memorial Trust

Income for Pasumalai Seminary, 272 16

George Austin Pelton Memorial Fund

Income for regular work, 5 44

W. W. Penfield Fund

Income for regular work, 5 44

Pitkin Memorial Fund

Income for Mission Work at Paotingfu, 6 80

Henry Harrison Proctor Fund for Disabled and Retired Missionaries

Income to provide for medical and surgical expenses of missionaries, 9,692 21

D. Miner Rogers Memorial Fund

Income for evangelization of young men in Central Turkey Mission, 23 33

Henry Sedgwick Fund

Income for regular work, 27 22

Mrs. Nellie Buttrick Stanton Fund

Income for regular work, 32 66

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Income for work in Foochow Mission, 54 43

Elisha D. Smith Fund

Income for salaries of teachers in Foochow College, 1,360 78

William White Smith Fund

Income for education of native preachers and teachers in Africa, 1,725 83

Horace Gardner Talcott Fund

Income for regular work, 272 16

Albert Wentworth Fund

Income for regular work, 54 43

Samuel Wilde Fund

Income for regular work, 1,697 10

Woman's Medical Mission Endowment

Income for salary of Dr. Curr and expenses of McLeod Hospital, 373 25

Elizabeth Richards Wood Memorial Fund

Income for hospital work for children in China, 16 33

First Church, St. Louis, Fund

Income for regular work as from 1st ch., St. Louis, 6 15

Sarah R. Sage Funds

Income for salary of F. A. Lombard, and for support of native helper in Madura Mission, 870 90

Higher Educational Work Endowment

Income for salaries of Rev. L. V. Cady and Rev. P. N. MacEachron, 2,418 68

D. Willis James Foundation

Income for various Higher Educational Institutions of the Board, 27,500 00

Asa W. Kenney Fund

Income for support of Missionary in active service, 2,482 02

Julia A. Merrill Fund

Income for regular work, 1,040 95

William F. Merrill Memorial Fund

Income for regular work, 653 60

Mission Scholarships

Income of Norton Hubbard Scholarship, for Ahmednagar Theological Seminary, 55; income of Norman T. Leonard, Scholarship, for student in Eastern Turkey, 60.50; income of the J. S. Judd Doshisha Scholarship Fund, for support of teachers in training pupils for native ministry, 55; income of the M. W. Thompson Fund, for education of students in Turkey, 27.50; income of Hugh Miller Scholarship, for Ahmednagar Theological Seminary, 90.75, 288 75

Twentieth Century Fund

For regular work, 49,255 85

Albanian Work Fund

For expenses of Rev. P. B. Kennedy, 2,153 36

Angola Fund

For expenses of Rev. and Mrs. H. C. McDowell, 2,298 38

Johannesburg Work

For expenses of Rev. Ray E. Phillips, 1,648 00

Tehchow Hospital Work

From China Medical Board, Rockefeller Foundation, toward support of Dr. L. M. Miles and Miss Mabel A. M. Craig, 3,141 07

Woman's Medical Mission, Jaffna

For salary of Dr. Curr and expenses of the McLeod Hospital, 75 00

Jaffna General Medical Mission

Income for medical mission work in Ceylon, 100 00

Emergency Fund

From sundry donors, 1,569 72

Advance Work in the Philippines

From sundry donors, 1,431 75

Additional Donations for Special Objects

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Massachusetts.—Erving, Jennie C. Richards, for work, care Rev. E. D. Kellogg, 25; Hopedale, Y. P. S. C. E., for work, care Rev. E. H. Smith, 17; Otis, Mrs. Jas. Richmond, for work, care Rev. A. A. McBride, 5; Watertown, Rachel Snow, through Lillian Picken, for city schools, care Miss Belle Nugent, 50; Wellesley Hills, 1st Cong. ch., for pupil, care Miss Ethel W. Putney, 125, 222 00

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Connecticut.—Hartford, Immanuel Y. P. S. C. E., for work, care Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Gates, 25; do., Catherine C. Camp, for Annie Tracy Riggs Hospital, care Rev. H. H. Riggs, 10; New Haven, S. S. of United ch., for work, care Rev. R. A. Hume, 60; Preston City, Cong. ch., Ladies, for pupil, care Rev. E. H. Smith, 12, 107 00

New York.—Aquebogue, Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Woolworth, for work, care Rev. F. E. Jeffery, 35; Orient, Mrs. Henry Knobloch, through Lillian Picken, for city schools, care Miss Belle Nugent, 110; do., Friends, through do., for auto, care Rev. J. L. Moulton, 1,100; do., Friend, for "Mothers School," care Rev. E. Fairbank, 25; Perry Center, C. S. S., for native preacher, care Rev. E. H. Smith, 50; do., do., The Gideons, for pupil, care do., 10, 1,330 00

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Pennsylvania.—Farrell, Mrs. J. E. Richards, for medical work, care Dr. J. B. McCord, 2.50; Lansdale, Schwenkfelder ch., for pupil, care Rev. F. C. Laubach, 107; Pennsburg, C. B. Weirick, for work, care Miss F. K. Heebner, 10; Philadel-

phia, Southwestern Presb. ch., for work, care Rev. P. B. Kennedy, 31; Quarryville, Cong. ch., for educational fund, care Rev. F. C. Laubach, 19.05, 169 55

Ohio.—Mansfield, Emily D. Smith, for native teacher, care Rev. E. H. Smith, 35; Oberlin, United Cong. ch., Mrs. Harriet P. Pond, for work, care Rev. Watts O. Pye, 10, 45 00

District of Columbia.—Washington, Margret P. Nourse, for pupil, care Rev. and Mrs. L. S. Gates, 20 00

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Illinois.—Galesburg, Central Cong. ch., F. E. Smith, for native helper, care Rev. F. E. Jeffery, 50; Payson, Cong. ch., 48.14, and Y. P. S. C. E., 100, both for auto, care Rev. W. C. Cooper, 148.14; Sheffield, R. C. Webb, for medical work, care Dr. J. B. McCord, 5, 203 14

Wisconsin.—Edgar, A. H. Chapin, for work, care Rev. H. S. Hollenbeck, 20; Florence, H. Rasmussen, for hospital, care Dr. and Mrs. H. N. Kinnear, 5; Milwaukee, Norman Hollenbeck, for work, care Dr. H. S. Hollenbeck, 50, 75 00

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Missouri.—Kansas City, Agnes T. Lee, for Union Middle School, Canton, China, 25 00

Kansas.—Wamego, Mrs. Robert Enlow and friends, for work, care Miss Fanny G. Noyes, 10 00

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For school, care Miss Isabelle Phelps,	5 00	1,535 00

From *Woman's Board of Missions of the Interior*

Mrs. S. E. Hurlbut, Chicago, Illinois, Treasurer

For use of Miss Leona Stukey,	20 00	
For use of Miss Louise Meebold,	43 14	
For teachers' salaries, care Miss E. L. Wood,	37 50	
For use of Miss Frances K. Bement,	426 00	526 64

From *Woman's Board of Missions for the Pacific*

Mrs. W. W. Ferrier, Berkeley, California, Treasurer

For hospital work, care Dr. Rose F. Beals,	500 00	
For use of Miss Margarita Wright,	5 00	
For use of Miss Nina E. Rice,	10 00	515 00

Amanzimtoti Theological Training School Fund

For Amanzimtoti Theological Training School, care Rev. J. D. Taylor, from sundry donors, 1,956 33

Tehchow Hospital Work

For part running expenses, Tehchow Hospital, 2d and 3d quarters, 1920, from China Medical Board, 519 37

Ackley Endowment

Income for hospital, West Central Africa, 21 77

Albert Victor Hospital Endowment

Income for running expenses of Albert Victor Hospital, 417 73

Amelia Scholarship

Income for scholarship in Madura College, 54 43

American College, Madura, Endowment

Income for American College, Madura, 27 22

Amherst College Neesima Fund

Income for Doshisha, 108 86

Anatolia College, Telfeyan Fund

Income for aid and support of deserving Armenian students in Anatolia College, Marsovan, 682 68

Arts and Crafts School Fund

Income for industrial work for women, Bombay, 275 76

Atwater Memorial Fund

Income for support of school at Fenchow, 459 94

Atwood Memorial School Fund

Income for Fenchowfu Bible Training School, 1 14

S. M. Bingham Memorial Fund

Income for support of Hawaiian or Gilbertese catechists in Gilbert Islands, 54 43

Boys' Academy Fund, Hadjin

Income for Boys' Academy, Hadjin, 52 56

Edward C. Bodman Fund

Income for running expenses of Edward C. Bodman Ward in American Board Hospital, Tehchow, 535 24

Bombay High School Endowment

Income for Bombay High School, 46 84

Capron Scholarship Fund

Income for Pasumalai Seminary, 35 76

Mabel Chase Scholarship

Income for scholarship, Capron Hall School, Madura, 27 22

J. M. Colman Fund
Income for education and maintenance of native evangelists in the Shansi Field, 635 03

Dnyanodaya Endowment
Income for *Dnyanodaya,* 21 53

Edwards Church Scholarship
Income for scholarship in Training School for Nurses, Williams or Porter Hospital, Tehchow, 20 41

Farrington Fund
Income for native helper, 74 08

Fenchow Bible Training School Endowment
Income for Fenchow Bible Training School, 88 06

Fletcher Endowment Scholarship
Income for scholarship in Porter Training School for Nurses, Tehchow, 45 36

Foochow Missionary Hospital Endowment
Income for Foochow Missionary Hospital, 82 80

Gordon Theological Seminary Fund
Income for Gordon Theological Seminary, Tungchow, 745 72

Green Hospital Local Endowment
Income for Green Hospital, Ceylon, 70 18

Harriet Hazen Scholarship
Income for Pasumalai Seminary, 21 77

Helen Louise Osborn Fund
Income for scholarship, Madura, 28 17

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Hazen Memorial Fund
Income for support of boy in school at Pasumalai, 40 00

A. Lewis Hill Endowment
Income for bed in Foochow Hospital, 27 22

Inasmuch Scholarship
Income for scholarship in Training School for Nurses, Williams or Porter Hospital, Tehchow, 15 60

International Hospital, Adana, Fund
Income for International Hospital, Adana, 283 55

International College, Smyrna, Endowment
Income for International College, Smyrna, 54 43

Henry Jones Scholarship
Income for scholarships, Pasumalai Seminary, 108 86

Jubilee Scholarship
Income for Pasumalai High School, 87 45

Kodaikanal School Endowment
Income for Kodaikanal School, 144 24

A. A. Leonard Fund
Income for indigent students in Anatolia College, for self-help department, Anatolia College, and for education Christian girls, Marsovan Seminary, 108 99

Marash Academy Endowment
Income for Marash Academy, 121 21

Marash Theological Seminary Endowment
Income for Marash Theological Seminary, 97 98

Marash Theological Seminary Library Fund
Income for Marash Theological Seminary Library, 81 65

William Morley Marden Scholarship
Income for scholarship in Anatolia College, 29 83

McLeod Hospital Local Endowment
Income for McLeod Hospital, Ceylon, 361 60

Warren Newton Memorial Fund
Income for scholarship, Anatolia College, 146 00

Noble Fund
Income for children's beds in Porter Hospital for Women, Tehchow, China, 68 04

North China College Endowment
Income for Lu Ho Middle School, 544 31

Rev. Martin K. Pasco Fund
Income for education of native minister at Union Theological College at Bangalore, 80 00

Pasumalai Seminary Professorship Endowment
Income for Pasumalai Seminary, 544 31

Mrs. D. K. Pearsons Memorial Endowment
Income for Anatolia College, 2,721 55

S. B. Poor Memorial Fund
Income for Uduvil School for Girls, 272 16

Henry Dwight Porter Scholarship for Nurses
Income for scholarship for nurses, Porter Hospital, 54 43

Alice Julia Rice Memorial Fund
Income for maintenance of study in Doshisha, 21 77

Cyrus S. Richards Fund
Income for salary of President of Anatolia College, 157 69

Rockwood Scholarship
Income for Uduvil Girls' Boarding School, Ceylon, 9 09

Satara Orphanage Fund
Income for support of child in orphanage, Satara, 26 45

Benjamin Schneider Memorial Fund
Income for training preachers in Central Turkey, 106 77

Samuel H. Scudder Fund
Income for care of the Mission Burial Ground at Pulney Hills, Madura, where the body of the late David C. Scudder is interred, 5 44

Solon Severance Scholarship
Income for scholarship, Pasumalai Seminary, 32 66

Arthur H. Smith Scholarship for Nurses
Income for scholarship in Training School for Nurses, Williams Hospital, 54 43

Robert Stedman Smith Memorial Fund
Income for support of child's crib in International Hospital, Adana, 27.22; for support of child's crib in Wai Hospital, care Dr. L. H. Beals, 27.21, 54 43

Telfeyan Fund
Income for aid and support of deserving Armenian students in Bithynia High School, Bardizag; in High School for

Girls, Adabazar; in High School for Girls, Brousa; in High School for Boys and Girls, Talas; for aid and support of hospital at Cesarea, 2,389 38

Emma B. Tucker Scholarship

Income for scholarship in Training School for Nurses, Porter Hospital for Women, or Williams Hospital, 54 43

Uduppitty Girls' Boarding School Local Endowment

Income for Uduppitty Girls' Boarding School, 4 92

Uduvil Girls' Boarding School Local Endowment

Income for Uduvil Girls' Boarding School, 34 74

Uduvil Girls' Boarding School Scholarship

Income for scholarship, Uduvil Girls' Boarding School, 22 65

Washburn Scholarship

Income for Pasumalai High School, 88 99

Welch Scholarship

Income for Pasumalai Seminary, 21 17

Wilmette Service Scholarship

Income for scholarship in Training School for Nurses, Porter Hospital for Women, Tehchow, 54 43

Williams Hospital Endowment

Income for Williams Hospital, 163 29

Catherine S. Harwood Bible Training School Endowment

Income for Catherine S. Harwood Bible Training School, Fenchow, 1,239 04

Income Higher Educational Work Endowment

Income for Ahmednagar Theological Seminary, 80 00

Cornelia A. Allis Fund

Income for support of pupil in Madura, 16 50

Andrew Scholarship

Income for pupil in Gordon Theological Seminary, 27 50

Capron Hall Ives Scholarship

Income for Capron Hall School, 110 00

Jeannie Grace Greenough Crawford Fund

Income for education of girls in Western Turkey, 60 00

Marian Elwood Scholarship

Income for pupil, Madura, 22 00

Annie A. Gould Fund

Income for education of Chinese girls in Paotingfu, 85 25

Montgomery Memorial Scholarship

Income for Central Turkey College, 8 00

Thornton Bigelow Penfield Scholarship

Income for students in Pasumalai Seminary, 27 50

Porter Scholarships

Income for scholarship, North China College; for scholarship, Medical Department, Woman's Union College, Peking; for Woman's Union College, Peking, 165 00

Ann E. Shorey Fund

Income for education of Ram Chundra Shorey, 34 37

Turvanda Topalyan Scholarship

Income for education of poor village girls, Hadjin, 110 00

Joanna Fisher White Scholarship

Income for scholarship in girls' boarding school, Marsovan, 35 75

St. Paul's Institute Fund

Income for St. Paul's Institute, 190 04

Inasmuch Scholarship Fund

Friends, through Miss Myra L. Sawyer, for hospital equipment, care Dr. F. F. Tucker, 83 96

24,668 95

Donations received in August, 287,280 13
Legacies received in August (including 49,255.85 taken from Twentieth Century Fund), 77,687 29

364,967 42

Total from September 1, 1919, to August 31, 1920. Donations, $1,327,897.35; Legacies, $190,508.12 = $1,518,405.47.

Advance Work in the Philippines

Illinois.—Tiskilwa, G. C. Kellogg, 10 00
Oregon.—Portland, J. H. Abbott, 25 00

35 00

Elizabeth Barrows Ussher Memorial Hospital Fund

New Hampshire.—Concord, West Cong. ch., Woman's Home Miss. Soc. 10 00
Connecticut.—Stonington, 2d C. S. S. 13 25
——. ——— Interest to August 31, 1920, 536 45

559 70

Amanzimtoti Theological Training School Fund

——. ——— Interest to August 31, 1920, 52 14

Arthur Stanwood Jordan Memorial Fund

——. ——— Interest to August 31, 1920, 29 77

Angola Fund

Alabama.—Anniston, 1st C. S. S., 5; Talladega, Talladega College, of which 6.30 from Y. M. C. A., 10.25 from Y. P. S. C. E., and 25 from church, 41.55, 46 55
Louisiana.—Houma, Miss. Union, 2; Lake Charles, McDowell Club, 1.70; New Orleans, Central Cong. ch., Miss. Union, 4; ———, Woman's Miss. Union of Louisiana, 6.30, 14 00
Texas.—Graham, Cong. ch., Woman's Miss. Union, 10 00

70 55

DONATIONS RECEIVED IN SEPTEMBER

NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT

Maine

Bangor, All Souls' Cong. ch., 150, Hammond-st. Cong. ch., 75, both toward support of missionary,	225 00
Belfast, Lucy A. Palmer,	2 00
Fryeburg, 1st Cong. ch.	13 00
Greenville, Cong. ch.	6 25
Harpswell, Center Cong. ch.	10 00
Kennebunk, Mary L. Nason,	5 00
Portland, Woodfords Cong. ch., 69.17; State-st. Cong. ch., 20; Chas. E. Baker, 5; Geo. B. Swasey, 5; Miss E. A. Coffin, 2,	101 17
Presque Isle, E. E. Parkhurst,	2 00
Silver Ridge, Cong. ch.	2 00
South Berwick, Jane Sewall,	50 00
South Bridgton, Cong. ch.	24 00
Westbrook, Cong. ch., 27.20; Harry F. G. Hay, 2,	29 20
Wilton, Cong. ch.	42 00
	511 62

New Hampshire

Alstead, 1st Cong. ch.	9 30
Amherst, Cong. ch.	11 84
Bath, Cong. ch.	10 00
Claremont, Cong. ch.	64 00
Concord, South Cong. ch., of which 25 from Annie A. McFarland and 5 from Mrs. T. W. L. Worthen,	30 00
Deerfield, Cong. ch.	16 20
Exeter, Mrs. Mary E. Chapman, 5; S. M. Buzell, 5,	10 00
Gossville, Mrs. Sarah N. Holmes,	1 00
Hampton, Mrs. Howard G. Lane,	25 00
Hollis, Mary E. Read,	10 00
Keene, Court-st. Cong. ch.	180 00
Manchester, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. J. P. George,	10 00
Mason, Mrs. S. D. Tarbell,	10 00
Rochester, Mrs. M. F. McDuffee,	2 00
Wakefield, 1st Cong. ch.	20 00
Warner, Cong. ch., Mrs. Mary E. Bailey,	10 00
West Lebanon, Cong. ch.	23 34
	442 68
Legacies.—Nashua, Mrs. Mary A. B. Moore, add'l,	18 00
	460 68

Vermont

Barre, John C. Griggs,	1 00
Benson, Cong. ch., Mrs. L. S. Austin,	5 00
Brattleboro, Swedish Cong. ch.	3 00
Burlington, Mrs. Esther A. Muir,	2 00
Cambridge, S. M. Safford,	5 00
Dorset, Cong. ch.	125 00
East Arlington, Cong. ch.	6 05
Fair Haven, 1st Cong. ch.	76 95
Gaysville, Cong. ch.	3 00
Manchester, Cong. ch., Lewis H. Hemenway,	30 00
Milton, Cong. ch. and S. S.	9 04
Morrisville, Cong. ch.	24 45
Norwich, Mrs. G. H. Pryor,	2 00
Perkinsville, S. W. Butterfield,	1 00
Rochester, Cong. ch.	30 00
South Wardsboro, Cong. ch.	3 00
Waterbury, Cong. ch., Julia B. Seabury,	10 00
	336 49

Detail of amount credited to Vermont Congregational Conference in August Receipts:

Ascutneyville, Cong. ch.	12 04
Barnet, Cong. ch.	19 60
Bellows Falls, Cong. ch.	69 93
Bennington, 2d Cong. ch., 139.86; 1st Cong. ch., 66.74.	206 60
Benson, Cong. ch.	20 81
Berlin, Cong. ch.	12 49
Bethel, Cong. ch.	4 64
Bridgewater, Cong. ch.	15 59
Bridport, Cong. ch.	27 28
Brookfield, Cong. ch.	19 98
Burlington, 1st Cong. ch.	59 94
Cabot, Cong. ch.	41 85
Cambridge, Cong. ch.	10 80
Castleton, Cong. ch.	13 54
Charlotte, Cong. ch.	33 34
Colchester, Cong. ch.	13 49
Cornwall, Cong. ch.	19 98
Coventry, Cong. ch.	8 37
Danby, Cong. ch.	27 72
Danville, Cong. ch.	24 98
Derby, Cong. ch.	3 25
Dummerston, Cong. ch.	20 25
East Barre, Cong. ch.	7 99
East Brookfield, Cong. ch.	15 03
East Burke, Cong. ch.	14 99
East Dorset, Cong. ch.	6 22
East Fairfield, Cong. ch.	3 80
East Hardwick, Cong. ch.	26 11
Enosburg, Cong. ch.	14 70
Ferrisburg, Cong. ch.	14 58
Florence, Cong. ch.	6 75
Georgia, Cong. ch.	7 49
Grafton, Cong. ch.	16 21
Greensboro, Cong. ch.	22 47
Hartford, Cong. ch.	4 15
Hartland, Cong. ch.	7 99
Highgate, Cong. ch.	9 99
Hinesburg, Cong. ch.	3 77
Holland, Cong. ch.	5 69
Hyde Park, Cong. ch.	51 07
Jamaica, Cong. ch.	6 87
Jeffersonville, Cong. ch.	34 38
Jericho Center, Cong. ch.	19 98
Londonderry, Cong. ch.	4 12
Lowell, Cong. ch.	6 99
Lyndon, Cong. ch.	5 29
Manchester, Cong. ch.	28 38
McIndoe Falls, Cong. ch.	40 50
Middlebury, Cong. ch.	79 92
Middletown Springs, Cong. ch.	9 99
Milton, Cong. ch.	5 33
Morgan, Cong. ch.	4 50
Newfane, Cong. ch.	8 74
Newport, Cong. ch.	46 19
North Bennington, Cong. ch.	33 41
North Craftsbury, Cong. ch.	19 98
North Hyde Park, Cong. ch.	5 59
North Pomfret, Cong. ch.	11 90
North Thetford, Cong. ch.	5 49
Orleans, Cong. ch.	27 00
Pawlet, Cong. ch.	39 86
Peacham, Cong. ch.	58 14
Proctor, Swedish Cong. ch.	3 00
Putney, Cong. ch.	7 53
Richmond, Cong. ch.	35 86
Royalton, Cong. ch.	13 14
Salisbury, Cong. ch.	19 98
Sharon, Cong. ch.	9 99
Sheldon, Cong. ch.	9 29
Shoreham, Cong. ch.	32 61
South Duxbury, Cong. ch.	5 02
South Hero, Cong. ch.	3 24
South Royalton, Cong. ch.	9 79
Springfield, Cong. ch.	307 80
Strafford, Cong. ch.	47 12
Swanton, Cong. ch.	29 46
Thetford, Cong. ch.	22 55
Townshend, Cong. ch.	9 99
Tunbridge, Cong. ch.	10 24
Tyson, Cong. ch.	3 45
Waterbury, Cong. ch.	39 96
Waterford, Cong. ch.	5 83
Weathersfield, Cong. ch.	3 60
Wells River, Cong. ch.	81 68
West Dover, Cong. ch.	2 90
Westford, Cong. ch.	8 90
West Glover, Cong. ch.	8 84
West Hartford, Cong. ch.	14 46

Westminster, Cong. ch.	40 36
Westminster West, Cong. ch.	24 82
West Townshend, Cong. ch.	4 14
Wilder, Cong. ch.	9 99
Williamstown, Cong. ch.	17 28
Williston, Cong. ch.	13 99
Wilmington, Cong. ch.	31 24
Windham, Cong. ch.	6 08
	2,322 15

Massachusetts

Ashburnham, Friend,	10 00
Athol, Cong. ch.	226 62
Bedford, Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Clarke,	50 00
Beechwood, Cong. ch.	10 00
Belchertown, Cong. ch., of which 10 from Mrs. V. I. Bartlett, 3 from Mrs. M. S. Longley, and 1 from Marion E. Bartlett,	14 00
Beverly, Dane-st. Cong. ch., toward support Rev. J. L. Moulton,	302 00
Boston, Baker Cong. ch. (East Boston), 46.28; Mt. Vernon Cong. ch., Maria Barker, toward support Rev. H. A. Neipp, 1; 2d Cong. ch. (Dorchester), Elizabeth F. Merrill, 1; Rev. Henry J. Kilbourn, 2; Mrs. W. O. Armes, for evangelistic work, 50; Harrison F. Lyman, 25; Mrs. Frederick L. Fisher, 20; Fred W. Connolly, 10; Frank Perrin, 5; Elenor M. Purssell, 5; Friend, 50,	215 28
Braintree, 1st Cong. ch., M. A. K.	10 00
Brockton, Waldo Cong. ch.	39 81
Brookline, Rev. and Mrs. Oliver P. Emerson,	25 00
Chelsea, Mrs. Phebe M. Hayward,	5 00
Dalton, Mrs. Hannah C. Severance, 5; Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Cleveland, 3,	8 00
Dedham, Mary E. Danforth,	10 00
Dracut Center, Cong. ch.	15 53
Duxbury, Pilgrim Cong. ch., Mrs. R. C. King,	25 00
Easthampton, Cong. ch.	241 00
Essex, Mrs. Jacob S. Perkins,	2 00
Fall River, Pilgrim Cong. ch.	52 80
Fitchburg, Rollstone Cong. ch.	106 55
Framingham, Mrs. A. A. Gage,	1 00
Harvard, Evangelical Cong. ch.	9 00
Haverhill, Center Cong. ch.	81 52
Hinsdale, Cong. ch., Tennie L. Converse,	2 00
Holyoke, 2d Cong. ch., L. F., 100; 1st Cong. ch., Mary L. Judd, 3,	103 00
Hudson, Cong. ch., W. E. Tarbell,	2 00
Huntington, 1st Cong. ch.	13 00
Lee, Well Wisher,	50
Lincoln, 1st Cong. ch.	128 25
Malden, 1st Cong. ch., Geo. L. Gould,	25 00
Marblehead, 1st Cong. ch.	75 27
Monson, Cong. ch., toward support Rev. H. J. Bennett,	311 00
Natick, Frederick S. Loker,	5 00
Newbury, 1st Cong. ch.	22 50
Newton, Eliot Cong. ch., of which 100 from Mrs. H. I. Harriman and 5 from Mrs. Orlando Mason,	105 00
Newton Center, 1st Cong. ch., of which 50 from Frank M. Forbush,	138 25
Newtonville, Central Cong. ch., Mrs. Julia M. Butler,	1 00
Northampton, Edwards Cong. ch., Harriet J. Kneeland,	5 00
North Carver, 1st Cong. ch.	16 00
North Chelmsford, Fred E. Varney,	2 00
Peabody, Richard E. Smith,	5 00
Pittsfield, B. G. Wilbor,	5 00
Princeton, 1st Cong. ch.	100 00
Scituate Center, Trinitarian Cong. ch.	33 00
Sharon, Abner H. Bowman,	10 00
Sherborn, Pilgrim Cong. ch.	16 17
Somerville, Mrs. G. S. Poole,	5 00
Springfield, 1st ch. of Christ, toward support Dr. Clarence D. Ussher, 140.77; North Cong. ch., Lilla M. Harmon, 10; Hope Cong. ch., Mrs. Kate W. Baker, 10; E. A. Carter, 25,	185 77
Swampscott, 1st Cong. ch.	75 00
Taunton, Winslow Cong. ch.	60 00
Templeton, Cong. ch.	24 75
Upton, 1st Cong. ch.	1 83
Watertown, Phillips Cong. ch., of which 10 from Walter B. Snow,	505 00
Westminster, 1st Cong. ch.	38 28
West Stockbridge, Village Cong. ch.	14 75
Winchester, 1st Cong. ch.	371 25
Worcester, Old South Cong. ch., W. M. Spaulding, 50; Lake View Cong. ch., 20; H. A. Pike, 10,	80 00
	3,945 68

Rhode Island

East Providence, Newman Cong. ch.	80 00
Providence, Central Cong. ch., of which 1,200 toward support Rev. Paul L. Corbin, 2,100; John E. Williams, 5,	2,105 00
Slatersville, Cong. ch.	60 00
	2,245 00

Young People's Societies

Massachusetts.—Lawrence, South Y. P. S. C. E., for Shaowu,	30 00

Sunday Schools

Maine.—Portland, Woodfords C. S. S.	2 08
Massachusetts.—Athol, C. S. S., 4.38; Norwood, 1st C. S. S., 66; West Groton, C. S. S., 2,	72 38
	74 46

MIDDLE DISTRICT

Connecticut

Ashford, Mrs. John T. Greene,	2 00
Brookfield, Florence M. Vroman, 5; Mrs. John Smith, 1,	6 00
Ellington, Cong. ch.	83 00
Falls Village, Cong. ch.	20 90
Farmington, Cong. ch., in memory of M. C. H.	250 00
Glastonbury, 1st Cong. ch., of which 50 from S. H. Williams and 10 from Mrs. W. W. Scudder,	60 00
Greenfield, Cong. ch.	32 35
Hartford, Asylum Hill Cong. ch., toward support Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Deming, 500; Nathan Coe, 10; A. M. M., 50,	560 00
Jewett City, J. C. Hawkins,	1 00
Litchfield, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Geo. C. Woodruff,	10 00
Madison, 1st Cong. ch.	52 44
Meriden, Edward W. Smith, 25; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Squires, 10,	35 00
Middlefield, Cong. ch.	45 00
Milford, Chas. T. Proctor,	10 00
Mystic, Amos G. Hewitt,	25 00
Nepaug, Cong. ch.	40 00
New Canaan, Cong. ch.	213 00
New Haven, Mrs. Franklin H. Hart,	25 00
New London, 1st ch. of Christ, toward support Rev. Chas. N. Ransom, 81.66; Jos. F. Vodwarka, 5,	86 66
North Haven, Cong. ch.	9 98
Norwich, Park Cong. ch., Mrs. Geo. D. Coit, 5; Mrs. S. A. Beebe, 5,	10 00
Plantsville, Elizabeth B. Clark,	5 00
Ridgefield, Mrs. Joseph E. Brown,	50 00
Saybrook, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Chas. E. Brooks,	10 00
South Manchester, William Ferguson,	2 00
Stony Creek, ch. of Christ,	60 00
Thomaston, 1st Cong. ch.	25 95
Torrington, Center Cong. ch., Member,	19 25
Washington, 1st Cong. ch.	57 00
Wethersfield, Cong. ch., toward support Rev. J. J. Banninga,	72 00
Windham, C. Arthur Keeney,	1 00
Windsor, Cong. ch.	16 53
———, Friend,	300 00
	2,196 06
Legacies.—West Hartford, Abigail P. Talcott, by Wm. S. Griswold, Trustee, add'l,	164 30
	2,360 36

New York

Antwerp, Rev. F. A. Kimberley, 10 00
Aquebogue, "Forward," 25 00
Brooklyn, Manhattan Terrace Cong. ch., 165; Lewis-av. Cong. ch., 100; Friend, 1, 266 00
Buffalo, Pilgrim Cong. ch., 44.37; Ray W. Oakes, 2, 46 37
Churchville, Union Cong. ch. 48 75
Friendship, 1st Cong. ch., Friends, 5 00
Jamestown, 1st Cong. ch., Friend, 10 00
Massena, Cong. ch. 13 50
New Lebanon, Cong. ch. 12 77
New York, Forest-av. Cong. ch., Friend, for Sholapur, 30; Mrs. C. E. Whittemore, 25; Silas Moore Wiley, 10, 65 00
Oxford, Cong. ch., Loyal I. Dodge, 5 00
Roscoe, Cong. ch. 20 78
Schenectady, Robert W. Crowell, 2 00
Smithtown Branch, Florence N. Tyler, 2 00
South Hartford, 1st Cong. ch. 3 70
Steuben, Cong. ch. 8 50
Syracuse, Plymouth Cong. ch., 180; Good Will Cong. ch., toward support Rev. L. O. Wright, 37, 217 00
Windsor, Mrs. A. B. Thompson, 10 00
Yonkers, O. S. Doolittle, 50 00
———, Friend in Central New York, 25 00

846 37
Legacies.—Brooklyn, Chas. A. Hull, add'l, 47 50

893 87

New Jersey

Egg Harbor, Emmanuel Cong. ch. 2 50
Newark, 1st Cong. Jube Memorial ch. 75 00
Park Ridge, Cong. ch. 21 84
Princeton, E. C. Richardson, 10 00
Westwood, Alice Dinsmoor, 3 00

112 34

Pennsylvania

Charleroi, Slovak Cong. ch. 13 00
Mahanoy City, Cong. ch., W. M. S. 8 00
Neath, Cong. ch. 5 00
Philadelphia, Park Cong. ch., W. M. S., 35; Central Cong. ch., Harriet T. Haynes, 5; Rev. Edwin W. Rice, Sr., 100, 140 00
Wilkes-Barre, Mrs. J. D. Kutzner, 100 00

266 00
Legacies.—Kingston, Edward Thomas, by Rev. T. C. Edwards, Ex'r, add'l, 281 15

547 15

Ohio

Amherst, 2d Cong. ch., 15.25; 1st Cong. ch., 10, 25 25
Andover, R. C. McClelland, 5 00
Chagrin Falls, Cong. ch. 15 45
Chardon, Cong. ch. 65 00
Cincinnati, Walnut Hills Cong. ch., 60; Lawrence-st. Cong. ch., 7.55; Storrs Cong. ch., 6.45; J. E. Richardson, 2.50, 76 50
Cleveland, Hough-av. Cong. ch., 85.96; Grace Cong. ch., 5.70; W. B. Davis, 50; Mrs. E. S. Rothrock, 12.50; Henry W. Tappe, 5, 159 16
Columbus, Plymouth Cong. ch., 125; Eastwood Cong. ch., 40; South Cong. ch., 27; North Cong. ch., 18, 210 00
Conneaut, Cong. ch. 166 00
East Cleveland, Calvary Cong. ch. 7 00
Fremont, Edward C. Smith, 10 00
Gustavus, Cong. ch. 3 00
Hudson, Cong. ch., S. E. Rideout, 10 00
Kirtland, South Cong. ch. 6 00
Lakewood, 1st Cong. ch., Edmund Dalgleish, 10 00
Lima, Cong. ch. 10 50
Litchfield, Cong. ch. 22 50
Madison, Cong. ch. 17 30
Mansfield, 1st Cong. ch. 125 00
Marietta, 2d Cong. ch., of which 10 from Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Dickinson, 12 72
Medina, Henry A. Horn, 1 00
Mogadore, Joseph Warburton, 1 00
North Ridgeville, Cong. ch. 5 00
Oberlin, United Cong. ch., Friend, 20; Thos. Henderson, 50; Mrs. Thos. Walker, 30, 100 00
Ravenna, Cong. ch. 40 00
Saybrook, Cong. ch. 28 40
Springfield, 1st Cong. ch. 145 00
Strongsville, Cong. ch. 3 05
Toledo, 1st Cong. ch., toward support Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Woodward, 500; Washington-st. Cong. ch., 360.05; Pilgrim Cong. ch., 11.74, 871 79
West Millgrove, Cong. ch. 5 80

2,157 42
Legacies.—Gomer, Edward Peate, by Anne Peate, Ex'x, 50 00

2,207 42

District of Columbia

Washington, 1st Cong. ch., 420; C. G. Abbot, 10, 430 00

West Virginia

Ceredo, Cong. ch. 3 25

Georgia

Demorest, Union Cong. ch., Rev. and Mrs. J. Newton Brown, 10 00

Florida

Cocoanut Grove, Union Cong. ch., Miss L. C. Wattles, 4 00
Melbourne, Cong. ch., A. Henley, 5 00
Winter Park, Inez F. Bellows, 1 00

10 00

Young People's Societies

New York.—Patchogue, Y. P. S. C. E., for Africa, 10 00

Sunday Schools

Connecticut.—Greenfield, C. S. S., Primary Dept. 1 41
New York.—Binghamton, Plymouth C. S. S., 6; Brooklyn, Mapleton Park C. S. S., 15; Sea Breeze, C. S. S., 7, 28 00
Pennsylvania.—Philadelphia, Park C. S. S. 5 00

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INTERIOR DISTRICT

Alabama

Birmingham, Independent Presb. ch., Woman's Miss. Soc., for Aruppukottai, 40 00

Texas

Wichita Falls, C. A. Rettmann, 10 00

Indiana

Fort Wayne, Plymouth Cong. ch., J. S. House, 20 00
Oakland City, Retta McCullough, 2 00

22 00

Oklahoma

Claremore, Mrs. Sophia C. Childs, 5 00
Oklahoma City, Friend, 50 00

55 00

Illinois

Bloomington, 1st Cong. ch., Sylvia I. Lindley, for Mindanao, 30 00
Byron, Cong. ch. 28 32
Carpentersville, Cong. ch. 9 32
Chandlerville, William K. Mentz, 50 00
Chicago, Bethany Union ch., 100; Rogers Park Cong. ch., toward support Rev. C. L. Storrs, 50; New 1st Cong. ch., 40.88; Summerdale Cong. ch., 12; John F. Stewart, 50; Mrs. Lulu G. Wiard, 5; Paul Hullhorst, 2; In Memory of J. R.

H. and H. B. H., 15; Friend, 3.50,	278 38
Depue, Cong. ch.	3 58
Dover, Cong. ch.	21 00
Galesburg, Central Cong. ch., W. H. Spinner,	1 00
Granville, Mrs. A. L. Anderson,	3 00
Harvey, Cong. ch., Mrs. George Blake,	1 00
Kewanee, 1st Cong. ch., Frank M. Lay,	200 00
Lyonsville, Cong. ch.	12 00
Marshall, Mrs. G. W. Hurst,	1 00
Millburn, Cong. ch.	9 01
Morrison, Robert Wallace,	55 00
Oak Park, 3d Cong. ch.	25 42
Ottawa, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. Chas. P. Taylor,	10 00
Payson, Cong. ch.	71 98
Peoria, Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner,	25 00
Quincy, C. M. Blosser,	5 00
Rock Falls, Cong. ch.	37 50
Rollo, Cong. ch.	30 00
Sandoval, J. B. Nowland,	20 00
Springfield, 1st Cong. ch.	50 00
Wayne, Cong. ch.	2 75
West Chicago, 1st Cong. ch., of which 5 from William Creager,	25 00
Winnetka, Cong. ch.	490 00
	1,495 26
Legacies.—Dundee, Wm. R. Forrest, add'l,	8 75
	1,504 01

Michigan

Au Gres, German Cong. ch.	12 68
Benton Harbor, J. N. Klock,	25 00
Cadillac, E. F. Sawyer,	5 00
Detroit, Mrs. Kate Sleneau,	2 00
Grand Ledge, Cong. ch., Wm. J. Williams,	5 00
Grand Rapids, East Cong. ch., toward support Rev. F. M. Price, 50; M. H. Cox, 20; Friend, 150,	220 00
Kalamazoo, 1st Cong. ch., Samuel Van Bochove,	50 00
Romeo, 1st Cong. ch.	10 00
	329 68

Wisconsin

Appleton, Cong. ch., E. E. Dunn,	10 00
Darlington, Cong. ch.	30 00
Delavan, Mrs. J. M. Farnsworth,	15 00
Earl, Cong. ch.	3 00
Eau Claire, 2d Cong. ch.	6 75
Edgerton, Cong. ch.	50 00
La Crosse, Cong. ch.	123 75
Lake Geneva, Cong. ch.	37 25
Milwaukee, Grand-av. Cong. ch., Gertrude E. Loomis,	25 00
Solon Springs, Cong. ch.	6 00
Wauwatosa, 1st Cong. ch.	100 00
West Rosendale, Cong. ch.	5 50
Whitewater, Cong. ch.	70 00
Wisconsin Rapids, Cong. ch.	25 00
	507 25

Minnesota

Duluth, Pilgrim Cong. ch., Rev. Jeremiah Kimball,	10 00
Minneapolis, Plymouth Cong. ch., Friend, 100; 1st Cong. ch., Hiram A. Scriver, 10,	110 00
Winona, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. F. A. Rising,	5 00
	125 00

Iowa

Ames, Mrs. Sallie S. Smith,	200 00
Atlantic, Cong. ch., toward support Rev. Ralph Abraham,	34 50
Des Moines, Ida J. Brinton,	1 00
Humboldt, Cong. ch., of which 5 from Mrs. P. S. Wiley and 1 from Mrs. Hansen,	6 00
Shenandoah, A. J. Crose,	5 00
Strawberry Point, Cong. ch., Parke Buckley,	10 00
	256 50

Missouri

Kansas City, 1st Cong. ch., Lorenzo Luce,	50 00
Lebanon, 1st Cong. ch.	15 00
New Cambria, Mrs. W. T. Jones,	5 00
St. Louis, 1st Cong. ch., 50; Pilgrim Cong. ch., R. C. F. Dunhaupt, 5,	55 00
Webster Groves, 1st Cong. ch.	27 75
	152 75

North Dakota

Litchville, R. A. Jongewaard, for work in China,	50 00
Minot, 1st Cong. ch., Wm. F. Clarke,	5 00
	55 00

South Dakota

Delmont, Zoar German Cong. ch.	15 00
Wakonda, Sam. Jacobson,	5 00
	20 00

Nebraska

Franklin, Cong. ch., 13.24; Maria L. Wilson, 10,	23 24
Leigh, Cong. ch.	31 00
Lincoln, 1st Cong. ch.	190 00
Wilcox, Cong. ch.	34 50
	278 74

Kansas

Clay Center, Agnes E. Graham,	10 00
Concordia, F. E. Sherman,	5 00
Lawrence, Plymouth Cong. ch., 68; J. E. Todd, 15,	83 00
Ottawa, Mary C. Kittredge,	1 00
Salem, Plymouth Cong. ch., Mrs. J. J. Watson,	25 00
Sedgwick, Cong. ch., Miss. Soc.	5 00
	129 00

Montana

Butte, Floral Park Cong. ch., Rev. B. E. Crane,	5 00
Glasston, Willis E. Snyder,	3 00
Huntley, H. J. Hughes,	15 00
	23 00

Wyoming

Tie Siding, Louise D. Hall,	10 00
Van Tassel, Cong. ch.	3 00
	13 00

Colorado

Colorado Springs, 1st Cong. ch., 32; Edward Day Barker, 1,	33 00
Lafayette, Cong. ch.	8 00
Manitou, 1st Cong. ch.	40 00
Yuma, German Cong. ch.	20 00
	101 00

Young People's Societies

Illinois.—Beardstown, Y. P. S. C. E., for Mt. Silinda, 5; Chicago, The Missionary Study and Prayer Union of Moody Bible Institute, for Harpoot, 25; do., Grand-av. Y. P. S. C. E., for Shaowu, 10,	40 00
Iowa.—Colwell, 1st Y. P. S. C. E.	10 00
Nebraska.—Friend, Y. P. S. C. E.	1 00
	51 00

Sunday Schools

Indiana.—Miller, S. S. of Community Center,	1 00
Illinois.—Lee Center, C. S. S.	2 25
Montana.—Butte, Floral Park C. S. S.	2 00
	5 25

PACIFIC DISTRICT

Arizona

Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hazeltine, 250 00

Utah

Salt Lake City, Phillips Cong. ch., L. H. Page, for native worker, Madura, 10 00

Washington

Anacortes, Mrs. David Collier, 1 00
Greenacres, B. Allen, 3 00
Seattle, Mrs. Edward Nugent, 25; Everett Smith, 10; David Thomson, 5, 40 00
Tacoma, 1st Cong. ch., toward support Rev. Frank Carey, 400; Mrs. Denison Crary, 10, 410 00
Walla Walla, 1st Cong. ch. 75 00

529 00

Oregon

Corvallis, Chas. Pernot, 10 00
Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Robbins, 5 00
Forest Grove, Rev. R. M. Cole, 10 00
Oregon City, 1st Cong. ch., T. L. Charman, 3 00
Portland, Mrs. E. B. Farquhar, 20; J. H. Abbott, 10, 30 00
Prairie, Mrs. Sarah S. Smith, 10 00

68 00

California

Alameda, Mrs. H. F. Whitman, 1 00
Bakersfield, 1st Cong. ch. 8 00
Claremont, Cong. ch., Men's Union, for Smyrna, 500 00
El Centro, D. R. and Agnes Crawford, 270 33
Ferndale, Rev. and Mrs. R. D. Douglass, 10 00
Los Angeles, 1st Cong. ch., 87.64; Park Cong. ch., 29.76; Hollywood Cong. ch., of which 10 from Rev. A. H. Robbins and 10 from Mrs. H. Corey, 20; Bethany Cong. ch., 6.20; Mrs. James Miller, 5; Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Mudd, 1, 149 60
Palo Alto, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. M. Shane-Smith, 5 00
Pasadena, 1st Cong. ch., Mrs. J. G. Olmsted, 10; Mrs. Wm. Waterhouse, 25, 35 00
Redlands, Cong. ch. 99 20
San Diego, 1st Cong. ch., 55.80; Logan Heights Cong. ch., 9.30, 65 10
Tulare, Cong. ch., Hattie Pinneo, 2 00
Whittier, W. B. Green, 10 00

1,155 23

Legacies.—Less, Long Beach, Leonard G. Parker, refund inheritance tax, 50 00

Detail of amount credited to Southern California Cong. Conference in August Receipts:

Bakersfield, 1st Cong. ch.	7 00
Claremont, Cong. ch.	85 17
Lemon Grove, Cong. ch.	12 42
Long Beach, Cong. ch.	96 10
Los Angeles, ch. of the Messiah, 37.95; Plymouth Cong. ch., 37.20; Colgrove Cong. ch., 6.20; East Cong. ch., 2.41,	83 76
Manhattan, Cong. ch.	3 87
Pasadena, 1st Cong. ch., 175; Pilgrim Cong. ch., 6,	181 00
Redondo Beach, Cong. ch.	2 21
San Diego, Ocean Beach Cong. ch.	2 29
	473 82

Hawaii

Honolulu, Mary T. Castle Trust, 1,000; F. C. Atherton, 100, 1,100 00
Lihue, Union Cong. ch., Lyle A. Dickey, 5 00
Makawao, Mrs. H. P. Baldwin, 600 00

1,705 00

MISCELLANEOUS

From the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*

H. W. Barker, Toronto, Ontario, Treasurer, 50 00

Czechoslovakia

———, Bystrey ch., .65, and Klatory ch., .47, all for China, 1 12

FROM WOMAN'S BOARDS

From *Woman's Board of Missions*

Mrs. Frank G. Cook, Boston, Treasurer

For sundry missions in part,	12,048 42	
For building needs for Matsuyama Girls' School,	5,000 00	
For Madura Hospital,	1,000 00	
For women's evangelistic work, North China,	275 00	
For language lessons for missionary, Western Turkey,	150 00	18,473 42

From *Woman's Board of Missions of the Interior*

Mrs. S. E. Hurlbut, Chicago, Illinois, Treasurer

For Canton Girls' Boarding School, care Miss Ruth E. Mulliken, 10,000 00

28,473 42

Additional Donations for Special Objects

New Hampshire.—Tilton, Katherine H. Sanborn, for medical education, care Dr. J. B. McCord, 1; ———, Friend, of which 700 for work, care Rev. W. B. Stelle, 230 for work, care Rev. W. O. Pye, and 600 for work, care Rev. J. J. Banninga, 1,530, 1,531 00

Vermont.—Morrisville, Rev. V. M. Hardy, for work, care Dr. L. A. Shepard, 100; Thetford, Mrs. J. T. Quimby, for pupil, care Mrs. Geo. B. Cowles, 5, 105 00

Massachusetts.—Ashburnham, Mrs. Edwin L. Needham, for work in Bardizag, 5; Boston, through Martha Strong, for pupil, care Miss Belle Nugent, 40; do., Wong Dock Sue, for Carter Memorial ch., care Rev. O. S. Johnson, 5; do., Friend, for work, care Rev. Chas. H. Riggs, 200; Danvers, Maple-st. C. S. S., for work, care Dr. F. F. Tucker, 15; Framingham, through Mrs. Jeannette W. Emrich, for boys' school, Mardin, 2.13; Northampton, Edwards Cong. ch., Women's Miss. Soc., for work, care Dr. and Mrs. F. F. Tucker, 50; do., do., Harriet J. Kneeland, for work, care Dr. and Mrs. H. N. Kinnear, 5; do., Ruth H. Porter, through Miss M. L. Sawyer, for work, care Dr. F. F. Tucker, 10; do., Friend, for hospital, care do., 40; North Brookfield, Cong. ch., Woman's Union, for bed in hospital, care Dr. H. N. Kinnear, 12; Petersham, E. B. D., for hospital, care do., 50; Shrewsbury, Mrs. Homer Gage, for work, care Rev. F. C. Laubach, 500; Springfield, A. B. Franklin, Jr., for work, care Rev. E. H. Smith, 10; do., S. Louise Little, for auto, care Mrs. B. V. Mathews, 5; Upton, 1st Y. P. S. C. E., through Rev. F. C. Laubach, for pupil, care Rev. I. M. Channon, 20; Watertown, Rachel Snow, through Miss Lillian Picken, for schools, care Miss Belle Nugent, 60; Worcester, Jennie L. Putnam, 25, Grace L. Bancroft, 10, and Florence A. Putnam, 5, all for work, care Rev. F. J. Woodward, 40; ———, Friends, through Miss Myra L. Sawyer, for work, care Dr. F. F. Tucker, 145, 1,214 13

Connecticut.—Madison, Jno. J. Marsh, for hospital, care Dr. and Mrs. H. N. Kin-

near, 1; Manchester, Mrs. Dwight Spencer, for work, care Rev. J. S. Porter, 1,000; Mansfield Center, Chas. H. Learned, for work, care Rev. E. H. Smith, 5; Norfolk, Alice M. Smith, through Miss Lillian Picken, for schools, care Miss Belle Nugent, 110; Wallingford, H. Ethel Clark, through Miss M. L. Sawyer, for work, care Dr. F. F. Tucker, 20; Westford, Cong. ch., Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Amidon, for work, care Rev. J. S. Porter, 5; Windsor, Mary J. Barnes, for work, care Rev. E. E. White, 5, 1,146 00

New York.—Brooklyn, The Misses Heath's Sunday School classes, through Miss Lillian Picken, for school, care Rev. J. L. Moulton, 38; do., Mrs. T. P. Peters, through Miss Lillian Picken, for use of Miss Belle Nugent, 25; New York, Mrs. J. S. Coleman and Warren Coleman, for pupils, care Rev. E. H. Smith, 20; Orient, Cong. ch., Ladies' Miss. Soc., through Miss Lillian Picken, for school, care Rev. J. L. Moulton, 75; do., Busy Bees, through do., for do., care do., 115; do., Friends, through do., for use of Miss Belle Nugent, 6; Poughkeepsie, Laura C. Keith, for buildings, etc., care Rev. John X. Miller, 50; Schroon Lake, Friend, for native pastor, Madura, 25; Shortsville, Mrs. W. P. Sprague, for medical work, care Dr. J. B. McCord, 16.25, 370 25

New Jersey.—Collingswood, Epworth League of 1st M. E. ch., for pupil, care Miss Eunice I. Thomas, 100; Upper Montclair, Christian Union ch., for educational work, care Rev. F. C. Laubach, 1,260; do., do., Woman's Missionary Society, 27, Round the World Club, 25, both through Mrs. F. C. Laubach, for student, care Rev. I. M. Channon, 52, 1,412 00

Pennsylvania.—Bloomsburg, Normal School, through Rev. F. C. Laubach, for pupil, care Rev. I. M. Channon, 13; Cambria, Y. P. S. C. E., through do., for do., care do., 13; Palm, Schwenkfelder S. S., Willing Workers' Bible Class, for work, care Miss F. K. Heebner, 10; Philadelphia, Samuel A. Seipt, for work, care do., 10; Towamencin, Schwenkfelder ch., Ladies' Aid, for do., care do., 50, 96 00

Ohio.—Bay Village, Mrs. C. B. Ellinwood, for work, care Miss Nellie A. Cole, 25; Chagrin Falls, Cong. ch., Mrs. Moffett, for school, care Rev. E. W. Ennis, 15; Columbus, Plymouth Cong. ch., Friends, toward furnishing chapel, care Mrs. Chas. Riggs, 6; do., Mrs. M. E. Morris, for work, care Rev. A. A. McBride, 10; Oberlin, Oberlin-Shansi Memorial Association, of which 500 for expenses, Shansi Schools, 325 for Kindergarten Equipment, care Mrs. Watts O. Pye, and 60 for Florence Price Memorial, care Rev. Watts O. Pye, 885; do., Friends, through Mary P. Jeffery, for work, care Miss Gertrude E. Chandler, 57.46; Youngstown, John J. Thomas, for student, care Rev. J. J. Banninga, 60, 1,058 46

Florida.—Deland, Alfred Howard, for hospital work, care Dr. H. N. Kinnear, 12.50; St. Petersburg, G. W. Cooper, for work, care Rev. W. C. Cooper, 100, 112 50

Alabama.—Talladega, Caroline E. Parkhurst, for Boys' School, care Miss Lillian Picken, 60 00

Texas.—Waller, M. E. ch., through Rev. F. C. Laubach, for pupil, care Rev. I. M. Channon, 7 00

Illinois.—Chicago, Grand-av. Cong. ch., toward support Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hausske, 200; do., Grand-av. Y. P. S. C. E., for do., 10; do., Cragin C. S. S., Classes No. 3 and No. 4, for work, care Rev. E. W. Galt, 50; do., Pilgrim Cong. ch., Henry L. Kellogg, of which 10 for work, care Rev. Paul E. Nilson, and 10 for work, care Rev. W. C. Cooper, 20; do., Rev. Ernest A. Bell, for use of Dr. W. A. Hemingway, 10; do., F. H. Tuthill, toward support Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hausske, 200; do., Edward K. Warren Fund, by Frederic W. Chamberlain, Trustee, for do., 100; Elgin, 1st C. S. S., for work, care Rev. Paul E. Nilson, 10; Galesburg, Knox-in-India Fund, for Knox-in-India Plan, care Rev. F. E. Jeffery, 113; Granville, Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker, for medical work, care Dr. J. B. McCord, 10.63, 723 63

Michigan.—Battle Creek, John Bacon, for orphanage, care Rev. L. F. Ostrander, 20; do., D. G. Fournadjieff, 20, and Miss R. G. Fournadjiera, 5, both for church building, care H. B. King, 25, 45 00

Wisconsin.—Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mishoff, for church, care H. B. King, 50 00

Minnesota.—Austin, Cong. ch., J. N. Nicholsen, for work, care Rev. A. A. McBride, 37 00

Iowa.—Humboldt, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jacobs, for work, care Rev. Paul E. Nilson, 10; Spencer, Mrs. Helen McCord, for medical work, care Dr. J. B. McCord, 200, 210 00

Missouri.—Kansas City, H. C. Walton, Jr., for work, care Miss Cora May Walton, 10 00

South Dakota.—Cresbard, Cong. ch., Ladies' Missionary Society, for Bible-woman, care Rev. A. A. Martin, 15 00

Nebraska.—Venango, Elmer Jacobson, through Rev. E. W. Ellis, for his work, 2; do., Friends, through do., for auto, care do., 509.41, 511 41

Colorado.—Julesburg, Luther Holmes, through Rev. E. W. Ellis, for his work, 50 00

Oregon.—Forest Grove, C. S. S., for pupil, care Rev. C. L. Storrs, 17 00

California.—Claremont, Cong. ch., Mrs. Harriet A. Pease, for work, care Miss Jessie Hoppin, 356; do., Mrs. G. D. Marsh and Anna L. Marsh, for church, care Mrs. Herbert B. King, 2; Long Beach, Jane Robertson, for hospital, care Dr. H. N. Kinnear, 1; Pasadena, Mrs. J. Elizabeth and Anna L. Meeker, each 40, for scholarships, care Mrs. W. P. Elwood, 80, 439 00

FROM WOMAN'S BOARDS

From *Woman's Board of Missions*

Mrs. Frank G. Cook, Boston, Treasurer

For work, care Miss L. L. Picken,	10 00	
For pupil, care Miss Katie Wilcox,	30 00	
For school, care Miss Isabelle Phelps,	40 00	
For Bible-woman, care Mrs. W. B. Stelle,	30 00	110 00

From *Woman's Board of Missions of the Interior*

Mrs. S. E. Hurlbut, Chicago, Illinois, Treasurer

For use of Miss Alma Atzel,	10 00	
For use of Miss Leona Stukey,	5 00	
For use of Miss S. W. Orvis,	100 00	115 00

From *Woman's Board of Missions for the Pacific*

Mrs. W. W. Ferrier, Berkeley, California, Treasurer

For use of Miss Edith C. Tallmon, 11 00

Income D. Willis James Foundation

For work of sundry Higher Educational Institutions, 21,086 10

30,542 48

Donations received in September, 80,115 46
Legacies received in September, 519 70

80,635 16

THE 110TH YEAR

Report of the Prudential Committee for the Home Department for the year ending August 31, 1920 (in part)

THE APPROPRIATIONS

When the Committee met in October, 1919, to make the appropriations for our nineteen missions, covering every department of work, they were confronted by the necessity of either adding $305,000 to the amount of the previous year, or of closing a large number of schools and other institutions and calling home scores of missionaries. The leading factors in the situation were the adverse rate of exchange, especially in the Far East, and the enhanced cost of living in practically every land, necessitating larger salaries for both missionaries and native laborers. So much has been said and written upon this subject, that we need not go into detail in this report. The conditions have been most extraordinary, and future historians desiring to study the course of foreign finance in the years following immediately upon the war will find the 1919 and 1920 files of the *Missionary Herald* instructive reading. After struggling with the matter during the war period, and after making sundry minor increases in appropriations for salaries and work, the point had been reached when the Board was constrained to ask its constituents to make possible a marked increase or to determine upon radical reductions in its work.

The latter course could hardly be thought of in a day when the foreign missionary cause has come to be recognized as of primary importance in the work of world reconstruction, and when statesmen and economists are vying with one another in beseeching the Church to proclaim her gospel of justice and love to the ends of the earth. In fact, your Committee did not dwell upon the possibility of retrenchment. The Congregational people had stood by their Board throughout the war years, responding again and again to its appeals, and without remitting their giving to national and other causes. Next to our confidence that God was summoning us to meet the new crisis manfully, the record of those years became our warrant for voting the largest single increase in appropriations ever made in the history of the Board.

We made the plunge before it was possible to formulate definite plans for the enlargement of our income. We realized that should the year end with an unprovided-for deficit as large as $305,000, it would be a staggering blow to our work. It took courage and faith to vote such an increase. Our confidence was not misplaced.

THE CAMPAIGN FOR FUNDS

At the meeting of the National Council, held in Grand Rapids last October, after prolonged and earnest debate over the financial needs of our missionary boards and American educational institutions, provision was made for a commission of one hundred persons to inaugurate a five years' intensive campaign among

the churches, stressing missionary education and finance. The name for the movement, chosen by the Commission, was "The Congregational World Movement," and the financial objective adopted for 1919–20 was the raising of an extra fund of $3,000,000 as an emergency effort in behalf of our boards and colleges. It was realized that such a sum fell far short of meeting the situation in which our Congregational interests had become involved as a result of conditions during and after the war; but having in mind the necessity of completing the Pilgrim Memorial Fund for pensioning aged ministers, which the denomination had decided upon as its financial objective in the Tercentenary year, it was not thought wise to attempt a larger measure of relief.

It appeared to your Committee that this movement offered the best, really the only means for increasing our income to match the increase in our appropriations. It would be obviously inappropriate and futile for the Board to join in a union effort of this kind, and at the same time campaign for a large special fund of its own. It was decided, accordingly, to place the securing of $305,000 at the head of our list of emergency needs. Of the $3,000,000 sought for by the Congregational World Movement, the foreign interests were to receive $965,000, which was to be distributed two-thirds to the American Board and one-third to the Woman's Boards. Should the entire amount be subscribed, and there be no falling off in the regular income of the Board, the increase in appropriations would be met, and there would remain $337,333 for the special and pressing needs of our institutions around the world.

The officers of the Board joined heartily in the campaign, which culminated in a financial canvass in May, coincident with that of many other denominations affiliated with the Interchurch World Movement. Our churches quite generally responded to the appeal, notwithstanding the pressure of the Pilgrim Memorial Fund, whose canvass was not finished until March 1. The plan was followed of asking the churches to accept for this special fund an apportionment equal to 150 per cent of the regular apportionment. Some 2,000 churches achieved this result, and many others did exceedingly well. A considerable number of churches found it impracticable to make the attempt in the spring, but gave assurance they would undertake to raise their share in the fall. Reports have been received of $1,700,000 subscriptions actually made, and careful estimates on the part of state superintendents and field workers indicate that an additional sum of $600,000 may be looked for, making in all $2,300,000. On this basis, the American Board would receive $492,200, and the Woman's Boards, $246,100. We prefer, however, to be more conservative, and to estimate only upon what is known to be subscribed. On this basis, the American Board will receive $363,800, which sum is applicable upon the deficit of the year, and will be paid in monthly installments from the treasury of the Congregational World Movement as collected from the churches up to May 1, 1921.

THE REGULAR INCOME OF THE BOARD

While all this campaigning was going on in behalf of the Emergency Fund, the churches did not remit their efforts in respect to the regular support of the

Board's work. At the beginning of the fiscal year, the Home Department estimated a gain from church and individual donations of $100,000. We are happy to report that this figure has been exceeded, the gain being $106,735.70, which is the largest single-year gain of regular donations which we can recall. This figure analyzed shows an advance in offerings from churches of $58,307.96; from Sunday schools and Young People's Societies of $4,491; from individual gifts of $43,936.74. In addition, it should be noted that individual friends sent to the Board the magnificent sum of $184,136.91 for special objects not included in our appropriations, a gain over the former year of $51,579.01.

All things considered, it has been a year full of encouragement as to the growing interest and devotion of our churches toward their foreign work. If any further evidence on that score is needed, it will be found in the fact that the three Woman's Boards have raised during the year the sum of $496,234.03, which is a gain over 1919 of $102,298.06.

Had our other sources of income kept pace with the donations, the year's outcome would have been quite different from what we must report. There has been a falling off in receipts from legacies, after they have been subjected to the thirding process through the Twentieth Century Fund, of $44,616.72; in matured conditional gifts of $69,516.67; and in general income of $998.22, making a total loss in this department of income of $115,131.61. Striking the balance between our gains and losses, in such receipts as are applicable upon the regular appropriations of the Board, we register a loss of $8,395.91. Had it not been for the establishment of the Twentieth Century Fund for the equalizing of legacy receipts, our loss in that item would have been far larger. After a series of years in which our legacy receipts have been increasing and the Twentieth Century Fund has been building up, we come to this year of marked shrinkage. The wisdom of the Fund's establishment has been signally demonstrated.

It remains to state the total receipts of the Board from all sources. Adding together our donations, regular and special, our income from legacies, matured conditional gifts, interest on various funds, gifts of Woman's Boards, and what has already been received from the Congregational World Movement, we secure the impressive figure of $1,651,546.99, a gain over the total of 1919 of $128,244.40.

CLOSING A DECADE

With this year we finish a new decade, the eleventh in the Board's history, and it proves to be both interesting and heartening to glance backward through the column of receipts as found in our annual reports. The past ten years may be known as the million dollar decade. We passed the long-hoped-for and worked-for million dollar mark in 1911, and it is gratifying to report that we have not dropped below that standard; rather we have marched steadily on, until we see ourselves nearing the two million dollar mark. Comparing the receipts of the year just passed with those of the first year of the decade, we find we have registered a gain of $656,132.63, or an average of something over $65,000 per year. In the previous decade, between 1890 and 1900, the gain was $257,456.97. We

might wish that our receipts had advanced at a more rapid rate, but the steady upward trend through so long a period would seem to indicate that we are following sound and fairly effective policies in our efforts to enlist the coöperation of churches and individuals.

THE INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT

The attitude of the American Board towards this coöperative movement among Protestant mission boards, which met with such an unexpected setback, has been set forth extensively in the literature of the year. It needs only to be dealt with here as a matter of record, and perhaps by way of registering a maturer judgment. The Interchurch, in its deepest significance, arose from the increasing desire of the missionary forces of America, home and foreign, to unite in a program of world-wide advance. It was born of a passion for the redemption of the world through Jesus Christ. The impulse toward such a movement, which had been growing for several years, was greatly accelerated by the national and social conditions produced or revealed by the war. In the face of such a world, for the Church of Christ to present a divided front was felt to be a sin against God and man. If the churches could not be brought to think together theologically, they could at least, so it was argued, be persuaded to work together for a great world purpose. The signing of the Armistice brought a divine compulsion to the churches of America; they considered they had received a mandate from God to unite in a campaign of service as broad as the human race. Unfortunately this purely spiritual quickening was accompanied by an over-reliance upon certain methods which the war philanthropy had developed for stirring the public conscience and securing the vast sums which were needed. From this point of view the Interchurch was an attempt to emulate the war drives for a wider purpose. By a process of sound reasoning it was felt that a united advance, which should solicit the giving of life and money on an unprecedented scale, could be warranted only on the basis of a fresh and accurate study of world needs. It was realized that the war methods could not and should not be imitated in the matter of asking for colossal sums in behalf of loosely estimated needs. The movement must have under it the solid basis of fact. Hence the large place which the survey came to hold in the Interchurch plans, and hence, alas! the delay which carried the financial canvass beyond the trajectory of the war spirit and enthusiasm. When the canvass was made, the psychological moment had passed; the post-war reaction had set in.

Two denominations, one affiliated with the Interchurch only in its educational plans, the other not at all—the Northern Methodist and the Southern Baptist—carried through highly successful campaigns in the spring and fall of 1919, the one securing pledges on a five-year basis for the magnificent sum of $113,000,000, the other for about $80,000,000. In the spring of 1920, we found ourselves in an atmosphere far less favorable for such efforts. The moral enthusiasms of the war were on the wane; the public, Christian as well as general, was weary of drives. In the light of the situation as we now understand it, the results of the united

simultaneous campaign of May, 1920, were surprisingly large. A number of the smaller denominations raised their full budgets, thereby increasing their income three and in one case fourfold. The stronger denominations, while not reaching their goals, secured far larger sums than would have been possible had it not been for the stimulus of the united effort. As for ourselves, it seems clear that the raising of the emergency fund, which has saved the day for the American Board and for other Congregational interests, would not even have been attempted but for our alignment with the other denominations through the Interchurch.

Had the movement been judged solely by its influence upon denominational effort, it would have been pronounced, in the main, a success. Unfortunately the officials laid great stress upon the raising of a fund of $40,000,000 from the general public, outside of the Church, which was to be distributed among the coöperating societies at the close of the campaign. This effort proved to be such a dismal failure that the Boards were forced to pay the sums they had underwritten for the heavy expenses of the long campaign without any offsetting benefit from the general fund. As a result, several denominations withdrew, public criticism became rife, and the movement has been brought to a standstill until such time as reorganization of a radical sort can be brought about. The underwriting of the American Board, following the conservative recommendation of the National Council, was for only four per cent upon our expected share in the $3,000,000 Emergency Fund, and amounted to $36,000. This obligation has been met. We are confident the benefits we have received outweigh the cost of this great venture in Christian internationalism.

We are not content, however, to leave the matter in this way. Apart from the mistake which was made as to the timing of the financial canvass, we are inclined to think the methods which were employed in the publicity and finance departments of the Interchurch were not calculated to produce the best results in a campaign of this nature. After all, missions is a religious enterprise, whose success in the long run must depend upon the deep and quiet motives of Christian character and purpose. Boldness is called for in behalf of Christ's work, and rapid progress can often be made, but not as a result of spectacular display or the pressure of war-drives. Tastes vary in such matters, and we would not be over critical where the motive is lofty; but to our Congregational way of thinking, the campaign methods of the Interchurch partook over much of the ways of the professional money-raiser. They were too superficial, too mechanical, too noisy, too expensive. We trust the lesson has been learned once for all as to the danger of a faulty method frustrating an enterprise of noble conception and scope.

The great idea of the Interchurch must not, cannot be allowed to die. The conception of the whole Church facing the whole task and moving unitedly to its performance, having once been given to the world, will find some new form of realization. We would extend our sympathy to the interdenominational committee which is studying the reconstruction of the movement on a greatly simplified basis, and pray that their labors may be crowned with success.

RECRUITS

The success of the work of the American Board depends, in the last analysis, on our securing the enlistment of an adequate supply of well-qualified new missionaries—men and women of caliber, leadership, and devotion, qualified to play a large part in the intricate adjustments that face non-Christian peoples today.

During the past year three factors did much toward shaping the recruiting work of the Board—the Student Volunteer Convention at Des Moines, the campaign for Life Service of the Interchurch World Movement, and the after effects of the war.

Mission Boards have come to recognize the great quadrennial gathering of the Student Volunteer Movement as one of the largest factors in bringing to the students of America such missionary knowledge and enthusiasm as shall lead them into missionary service. In spite of some rather severe criticisms of this year's program, the overwhelming majority of the 7,000 delegates who gathered from all parts of America for the ten days' convention at Des Moines went back to their colleges with a clearer vision of world service than they had ever had before. How many of them have already made actual missionary decisions as a result of the convention no one can say, but the number is not small. There were many others who felt the challenge of the world's need so strongly that a large number of them will undoubtedly decide for that service.

A part of the Interchurch World Movement's program which received little publicity, but which bulked large in its plans, was the effort to secure recruits for Christian service. Efforts were made to send a team of leaders who had already proved themselves effective with students into every higher educational institution in America. These teams were to present, in the broadest interdenominational way, the imperative call of America and of the world for many types of Christian workers.

This last year, due to the unusual numbers secured by the Woman's Boards, we have obtained the largest group of new recruits ever listed by the Board—seventy-three in all. Of these, seventeen are men, nine are wives, and forty-seven are single women. This large number of workers is a cause for rejoicing. However, we must note with grave concern that of them all only five men are going out as ordained missionaries. The very serious post-war condition of the American theological seminaries is clearly reflected in this fact. Not only has the theological education of many men been retarded by the war, but a number have been deflected from the theological schools into other vocations. Indications point to a somewhat more normal condition in the seminaries during the coming year, and we hope to have better results to show. Yet we have nowhere in sight today enough recruits to meet the most urgent demands of the field for ordained workers. It is easy to picture what it means to our nineteen missions to have only five ordained men sent out to them in any year. Are there not, in some of our overchurched American towns, young Congregational ministers who will catch the vision of ministry in some of the great mission fields, where one's parish may

be a county or district, and where he may have a molding influence on church and society in this critical period of transition?

We are glad to be able to send out to fill vitally important positions eight physicians, five of these being women. In the case of medical workers, we seem to have gained through the war, which has opened out to both doctors and nurses new visions of wide service. We have need, however, of many more than eight doctors for positions of critical need and great opportunity.

It is interesting that no less than twenty-six of our new missionaries are going on short-term engagements. Many of these are just out of college. For the most part they go as teachers in colleges and academies. From our past experience, we confidently predict that most of these will become so attached to the people and work to which they go that later on, after returning home for special study, they will eventually apply for life service.

ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES

Year by year the work of the Prudential Committee grows in volume and importance. Our increased missionary force and our extending lines make this inevitable. This year the dockets for the fortnightly meetings became so crowded that an arrangement was worked out by which many routine questions, covered for the most part by the handbook rules of the Board, should be determined by the executive officers in their cabinet meeting, the vote of this Committee being given "en bloc." Even so, the dockets are over long, and more frequent meetings may be necessary. The amount of business coming before the Committee is indicated by the fact that during the year 1,009 separate votes were taken, many of these covering a number of items or extensive sub-committee recommendations.

Correspondingly, the executive officers find themselves increasingly limited for time to attend to the work of their departments, a prominent factor in the problem being the steady development of coöperation between the foreign Boards of America and Europe, with resulting journeys, conferences, committee work, etc. A sub-committee of the Prudential Committee has been at work making a fresh study of the executive departments in their operations and relationships, and reports from time to time such increase of staff and such changes as appear necessary. Inevitably the expansion of our home office force, with the mounting cost of living, has made for increased administration expense; we believe, however, not out of proportion to the growing income of the Board. We are determined that the Board's reputation for businesslike thoroughness and dispatch shall be maintained.

In conclusion, let us say that while the year has been one of many difficult problems and of heavy pressure of work, not unmixed with anxiety, it has been a year of exceptional fruitfulness and full of joy in the service. No man can come upon the Prudential Committee of the American Board in these days without the deepest appreciation of the labors of those who have served in former years, and a sense of exaltation over being engaged so directly in the work of Kingdom building at a time when God's spirit is moving in such a marvelous way upon the non-Christian world and upon the Church at home.

TREASURER'S REPORT

For the year ending August 31, 1920

The American Board has suffered a very real loss in the resignation and subsequent death of Mr. Frank H. Wiggin, who for many years has written and presented the Treasurer's Report. He was Treasurer of the American Board for about twenty-four years, always faithful to his trust, and during the time he served as Treasurer the yearly receipts grew from about $650,000 to more than $1,600,000.

A year ago it was stated in the report that the receipts were larger than those of the previous year. The same statement might well be made for this year. The gain for the year just ended over the previous year was $128,244.40. The following table shows the sources from which the income has been received:—

Gifts from churches	$399,890.35
Gifts from individuals	126,971.17
Matured Conditional Gifts	17,350.00
Income from General Permanent Fund	29,236.67
Income from D. Willis James Foundation and Higher Educational Work Endowment	55,354.78
Income from Miscellaneous Funds	54,405.55
Woman's Boards	496,234.03
Sunday Schools and Christian Endeavor Societies	18,990.66
Receipts for Special Objects	158,700.81
Legacies	175,421.30
From estate of Solomon H. Chandler, for use as specified in the will	15,086.82
General Income	56,126.20
Congregational World Movement	47,778.65
	$1,651,546.99

It is interesting to note that the churches, which made a large increase in their offerings a year ago, have again made a very substantial increase in their offerings, and that the same is true of individuals. The gains from churches, Sunday Schools, and Christian Endeavor Societies amount this year to $62,790.96, and individuals contributed more this year than last year by $43,936.74. These gifts are gratefully acknowledged by the Board. This is a very encouraging fact when it is considered that during the year very large pledges were made to the Congregational World Movement. All of these pledges have not yet been paid, but the Board has already received a substantial sum on account of the same.

TWENTIETH CENTURY FUND AND LEGACIES

The wisdom of establishing the Twentieth Century Fund for the equalizing of receipts from legacies over a period of years has been proven this year. The amount received from legacies this year was $126,165.45. This is $55,385.32 less than was received from legacies in the year ending August 31, 1919. The total of the Twentieth Century Fund, including income on the Fund and legacies received during the year from estates, amounted to $526,263.90. One-third of this amount.

or $175,421.30, was available for the Board's work, so that from this source the Board has had available for its use $49,255.85 more than was actually received from legacies. Because of the decrease in the amount received from legacies, the Twentieth Century Fund, which showed a balance a year ago of $387,515.70, now shows a balance of $350,842.60.

CONDITIONAL GIFT FUND

The total of the Conditional Gift Fund, including the Danforth and Washburn Funds, is $1,208,781.62. Of this sum $93,822.63 represents fifty-four new Conditional Gifts received during the year. More and more people are realizing the advantage of providing for themselves a regular income for life and are appreciating the certainty, afforded by the adoption of the Conditional Gift Plan, that their money will be used as they desire after their death for the work of the American Board.

GENERAL PERMANENT FUND

The gain in the General Permanent Fund during the year was $6,778.83. This is much smaller than the gain for the previous year. This Fund now amounts to $579,671.76.

NEW FUNDS DURING THE YEAR

AMES FUND, for support of missionary teacher in connection with American College at Pasumalai, India	$2,185.00
J. M. COLMAN FUND, income to be used for native evangelists in Shansi (Additional)	10,000.00
EDWARDS CHURCH SCHOLARSHIP, income to be used for scholarship for nurses, Williams and Porter Hospital, Tehchow	500.00
FLETCHER ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP, income to be used for scholarship for nurses, Williams and Porter Hospital, Tehchow	2,000.00
FOWLER MEMORIAL FUND, for chapel at the Doshisha	20,000.00
HALLOCK FUND, income to be used for regular work of the Board	95.62
CATHERINE S. HARWOOD BIBLE TRAINING SCHOOL ENDOWMENT, income to be used for Catherine S. Harwood Bible Training School, Fenchow	39,398.00
REV. AND MRS. H. C. HAZEN MEMORIAL FUND, $40 of the income to be used for the support of boy in school at Pasumalai, and the balance for the evangelistic work in the Madura Mission	25,000.00
INASMUCH SCHOLARSHIP, income to be used for scholarship for nurses, Williams and Porter Hospital, Tehchow	2,000.00
GIFT OF DR. AUGUSTINE MANN, income to be used for regular work of the Board	423.70
PITKIN FUND, income to be used for work at Paotingfu	500.00
HENRY HARRISON PROCTOR FUND FOR DISABLED AND RETIRED MISSIONARIES (Additional)	30,092.00
WILLIAMS FUND, income to be used for work at Taiku	5,000.00
	$137,194.32

WOMAN'S BOARDS AND CANADA CONGREGATIONAL FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Boards and the Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society have, as usual, coöperated in the work in a very generous manner, and these Societies are entitled to a large amount of gratitude. The amounts received and expended from these sources have largely increased.

EXPENDITURES

Attention was called last year to the large increase in expenses caused by the high rate of exchange in China and the increase in transportation. While exchange rates were unusually high a year ago, they have increased greatly during the past year, and the cost of transportation, of both missionaries and freight, has also increased. The cost of exchange this year has been $252,449.37, and the cost of travel and outfits for missionaries has been $177,231.51.

SUMMARY OF RESULTS

A summary of the results for the year shows that the missions cost	$1,731,147.86
Administration and other home expenses were	142,230.72
Underwriting of the Interchurch World Movement	36,000.00
Total expenses	$1,909,378.58
As previously stated, the total receipts were	$1,651,546.99
Amount due from Coöperating Societies in excess of amount due the previous year	8,082.17
Last year's balance	7,205.06
Total	$1,666,834.22
Total disbursements	$1,909,378.58
Total receipts	1,666,834.22
	$242,544.36

The Treasurer last year stated that the American Board needed annually at least $2,000,000, but with the increased cost of everything connected with the work of the Board, it is clear that a far larger sum is needed today. Notwithstanding the increase of $128,244.40 in income this past year, the Board has been obliged to close its year with a deficit of $242,544.36. So many applications of a pressing nature are coming from all parts of the world for help from the American Board, that the Board must look to its constituency for yet greater financial support if it is to meet these requests even in a small degree. This is, however, not a time to be discouraged, but rather a time to be grateful that in spite of the troublesome conditions into which the world has been plunged, the American Board has been able, with the support of its constituency, to carry on its work without curtailment.

Appended hereto is a financial statement, together with a certificate of the American Audit Company and a certificate of the Auditors of the American Board.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK A. GASKINS, *Treasurer.*